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## TRAGIC DEATH OF CONSUL'S WIFE

### THEORY OF THE TWO BULLETS

#### YOUNG WOMAN VICTIM OF NEURASTHENIA

Madame R. G. Alves-Guerra, wife of the Consul-General for Portugal in Hongkong, who was discovered in her room at the Peninsula Hotel last evening with a bullet wound in her head, succumbed to her injuries at the Kowloon Hospital at 5.15 this morning.

It was at about six o'clock last night that Senhor Alves-Guerra, on returning to the hotel, was shocked, on forcing the door of a connecting room, to find his wife lying huddled up in a chair, with a bullet wound through her head and a small automatic pistol in her hand. There were also indications that she had taken chloroform.

The injuries to the head were extensive, and although she was rushed to hospital, it was evident that she would not recover.

Two discharged bullets were found in the room, but, curiously enough, no one appears to have heard any shots fired.

When found, the victim had a bullet wound through the left temple, and she was grasping the pistol in her right hand. Two empty cartridges were also found in the room. It is presumed that the second shot was discharged as the result of sudden pressure on the trigger, caused by a convulsive movement after the first bullet entered the head.

#### NOT IN GOOD HEALTH.

So far as can be learned, the deceased lady left no note of any kind. She had not been in good health for some considerable time, having suffered, for some years from neurasthenia.

Madame Alves-Guerra, who was a young and beautiful Parisian, had been in the East for some time. She came to Hongkong with her husband about two months ago from Canton, where they had resided for about a year, prior to which they had lived in Singapore for five years.

Much sympathy will be felt for the bereaved husband.

### STIFF FINE FOR JOY-RIDER

#### TOOK EUROPEAN'S MOTOR-CAR

On a second offence for having driven a motor car without the permission of the owner, Francis Lee, a well-dressed young man, appeared before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, and was fined \$100, or two months' hard labour.

Accused was alleged to have taken car No 3655, belonging to Mr. M. Weill, which was parked in an alleyway near the Hongkong Hotel last night. He was seen driving the car, and was arrested about 3.30 this morning on Island Road.

Lee was convicted last year for driving a motor cycle without the permission of the owner, and was fined \$50.

### BRITISH ENGINEER INJURED

#### Twenty-Seven Die in Kailan Mine Disaster

Tientsin, May 30. A disastrous fire occurred in a coal mine at Tongchichang (belonging to the Kailan Administration) early yesterday morning, when twenty-seven miners were burned to death or suffocated, while a number were injured including a British engineer.

Over 100 miners were rescued from the pit under circumstances of great difficulty, the pithead being filled by dense smoke.

### IBN SAUD TRUCE EXTENDED

#### Gives More Time For Compliance

Cairo, May 30. It is officially announced that Ibn Saud has agreed to a prolongation of the truce for several days, in order to give the Imam of Yemen the time required to carry out his peace conditions.—*Reuter.*

### TENSION IN FAR EAST

#### SIGNIFICANT RUSSIAN ORDERS

#### WHEAT CARGOES FOR SIBERIA

London, May 30. An outcome of the tension between Soviet Russia and Japan in the Far East is the supply of wheat to Siberia through foreign countries.

A Soviet organisation in London is purchasing Australian and Argentine wheat for shipment to Vladivostok.

Two cargoes of Australian and one of Argentine wheat totalling 22,500 tons, have already been bought, says the *Financial Times*, and it is expected that further shipments will be arranged.

In some quarters, the orders are attributed to widespread crop failures, although it is also probable that the consumption of wheat in the Vladivostok area has abnormally increased owing to the presence of the large force of troops maintained in the region since the period of Russo-Japanese tension arose.

#### HUGE SHIPMENTS.

The latter suggestion is supported by the fact that Russia has been shipping huge quantities of cereals, cement and other materials from the Black Sea to Vladivostok for the last eighteen months.—*Reuter.*

### SILVER FLUCTUATION CONSEQUENCES

#### French Commission's Report

Paris, May 29. The Commission recently established by the Minister of the Colonies to study the repercussions of the fluctuations of silver on the economic situation in the Far East, especially in Indo-China has reported.

The Commission rejects any measures tending, under any form, towards the voluntary devaluation of the Indo-Chinese piastre, and makes a number of suggestions with the object of improving the economic situation in Indo-China. The Minister of the Colonies has adopted the conclusions.—*Reuter.*

### MARINE COURTS SCHEME APPROVED IN NANKING

Nanking, May 29. The Nanking Executive Yuan has adopted a recommendation submitted jointly by the Ministry of Justice, Communications and Navy for the establishment of marine courts in the trading ports in order to handle legal cases occurring on water. This is a novel, to be introduced in the Chinese judicial administrative

## ARMED CIVILIANS ASSIST IN SUSSEX MAN-HUNT

### FUGITIVE'S RAIDS IN NIGHT

#### AEROPLANES JOIN IN SEARCH

#### MAN WHO SHOT CONSTABLE

London, May 30. A man-hunt almost unprecedented in intensity in the British Isles is still proceeding in Sussex, following the wounding of P. C. Jex, of Worthing.

Aeroplanes zooming over the undulating country of the Sussex Downs, with observers keeping a constant look-out for a sign of suspicious movement on the ground below, are co-operating in the search.

In addition, there are fifty motor-cars scouring the roads and an army of five hundred civilians, many of whom are armed.

A band of Black Shirt Fascists are also assisting the police in the hunt for P. C. Jex's assailant.

#### TWO COTTAGES RAIDED.

It is revealed that the fugitive raided two lonely cottages during last night, seizing cash and clothes and food.

Despite the fact that bloodhounds have been put on the trail, under the charge of hunters with full kit and horn, the gunman has not yet been run to earth.

#### ALL ROADS WATCHED.

All roads out of Sussex are being closely watched and escape is considered impossible.

P. C. Jex was shot when about to apprehend a suspect, wanted in connection with a burglary at High Salvington, on the outskirts of Worthing.—*Reuter.*

### SOCIALIST WAR, ON FASCISM

#### MEETING BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

Brussels, May 29. The struggle against Fascism formed one of the principal subjects for debate at the meeting of the Executive of the Socialist Labour International, under the presidency of M. Vandervelde.

The proceedings, which have been held in camera, began on May 27 and concluded at dawn today.

Reports on illegal propaganda measures were received from Germany, Austria, Latvia and Bulgaria. It was decided to remove the Secretariat next April from Zurich to a less expensive country.—*Reuter.*

### KING'S ACCESSION ANNIVERSARY

#### CELEBRATION PLANS TO BE ANNOUNCED

London, May 29. On the reassembly of Parliament to-day after the Whitsuntide recess, the Prime Minister was asked in the Commons whether the Government intended to appoint a committee to make arrangements at Home and in the Dominions for the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the King's accession next year.

The Prime Minister said the matter was not present under consideration and he hoped to be able to make an announcement shortly.



Admiral Marquis Togo, whose death occurred this morning.

### ADMIRAL TOGO DIES

#### RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR HERO

#### 87 YEARS OF AGE

Tokyo, May 30. The death occurred at 6.35 this morning of Admiral of the Fleet Marquis Togo, the veteran hero of the Russo-Japanese War, who had been lying critically ill for some days.

Admiral Togo, who was born in 1847, was the son of a petty retailer of the Lord of Kagoshima. He began his naval career at the age of 16, and five years later he had actual fighting experience.

He studied in England from 1871 to 1873, and in the Japan-China War he commanded the cruiser Nankai, among his exploits being the sinking of the Chinese transport Kowang, a British steamer flying the British flag.

After the war, he was promoted Rear-Admiral, and in 1890 he was made Vice-Admiral. He was Commander-in-Chief of the Combined Fleet in the Russo-Japanese War, and won much fame in the battle fought on May 27th, 1905, in the Tsushima Straits.

Admiral Togo was made Supreme War Councillor in 1909, while three years later he was promoted Admiral of the Fleet. He attended the coronation of King George V, being a member of the suite of Prince Higashi-Fushimi.—*Reuter.*

### PIRATE BOATS SUNK

#### BATTLE WITH POLICE OFF WOOSUNG

Shanghai, May 30. There was a running gun battle outside Woosung Harbour yesterday between a number of pirate ships and patrol boats of the Kiangsu Water Police.

The pirates had previously been caught robbing a fishing boat. In all, three of the pirate boats were sunk.—*Reuter.*

#### ANGLO-DUTCH TRADE

London, May 29. In the House of Commons, the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Runciman, said it was hoped that negotiations for a trading agreement between Britain and Holland would be opened some time next month.—*British Wireless.*

The wedding is announced to take place shortly of Mr. William Herbert Allen, of the Methodist Mission of Shulchow, Kwangtung, and Miss Ethel

### LABOUR TURMOIL IN AMERICA

#### UNREST SPREADING RAPIDLY

#### PEACE PARLEYS BREAK DOWN

Washington, May 29.

A perilous situation threatens the United States. Industrial unrest is leaping from place to place like wildfire and widespread stoppages and possible disorders are feared.

Labour leaders regard the industrial situation as ominous, though they hope to avert grave trouble in the steel and textile industries.

While Union leaders belonging to the American Federation of Labour have threatened walk-outs, further conferences have been arranged with government spokesmen.

#### STEEL WORKERS SMART.

The Union of Steel Workers is smarting under its inability to defeat the industry's announced policy of dealing with the men through Company Unions and is opposing independent unions to the utmost.

Meanwhile, the negotiations at Toledo, Ohio, for the settlement of the strike in the motor industry, have broken down after twenty-four hours of conferences, and the movement in favour of a general strike on June 1, is growing rapidly.

Sixty-eight Unions out of a hundred and three are in favour of the general strike.

#### AKRON THREATS.

A major labour conflict is also foreshadowed at Akron, Ohio, home of the great Goodyear works, in consequence of the demands of the rubber workers for an increase in wages to 75 cents an hour, as compared with the present forty cents an hour.

They also claim a guaranteed work year of forty-four weeks, with half-pay for periods of idleness.

The rubber workers are very strongly organised in their union, but the demands are almost certain to be rejected by the employers.—*Reuter.*

### SCOTTISH HERRINGS FOR SOVIET

#### Large Purchase Arranged in London

London, May 30. Good news for the distressed Scottish herring industry came at the close of a meeting between the Scottish herring curers and Russian representatives in the House of Commons last evening.

The Soviet agreed to purchase 70,000 barrels of this season's catch of Scottish herrings at 27s. 3d. a barrel.

The curers originally asked 30/- a barrel and the Soviet offered 25/-.—*Reuter.*

### 40TH VICTIM OF DISASTER

#### CHILD SUCCUMBS IN HOSPITAL

More than a fortnight after the occurrence, another death from the gas explosion at West Point is recorded. The latest victim to succumb to severe burns is a five-year-old lad, Leung Yan, who died at 4.30 p.m. yesterday at the Government Civil Hospital.

Leung Yan's death has brought the total fatalities to 40 and the number of those who succumbed to injuries at the Hospital to 20.

## COLLECTIVE WAR ON AGGRESSORS

### CIVIL AVIATION CONTROL

#### Internationalisation Schemes

London, May 29. The Prime Minister told the House of Commons to-day that he understood two unofficial schemes bearing on the question of the internationalisation of civil aviation had been received and were being considered by the appropriate department.—*British Wireless.*

### CLAN FEUD TERROR

#### HEAVY CASUALTIES IN FIGHTING

#### VILLAGE HOUSES BURNED DOWN

Canton, May 29.

A clan feud in the Nanhai District and the disastrous scenes that followed are described in a detailed report just received. Fighting between the clans went on for two days before the arrival of Government troops to prevent further bloodshed.

The rival clansmen were engaged in a hand-to-hand fight for the whole of Monday night, resulting in heavy casualties on both sides.

The Wu Village was invaded by the clansmen of the Yeh Village, who indulged in indiscriminate looting and burning.

Hundreds of the villagers have fled to other villages for shelter. It is estimated that 150 houses in the "defeated" village were razed to the ground.

Both hostile villages are occupied by Government troops, who are assisting Red Cross workers in relief work.—*Central News.*

### THE OPIUM MENACE

#### CHARGES AGAINST CHINA

#### POPPY GROWING INCREASING

Geneva, May 29. Very serious charges were levelled against China in connection with the opium traffic at Geneva to-day.

The accusations were made by Mr. Fuller, the American delegate to the Opium Advisory Commission, and he declared that instead of getting better poppy-growing in China was becoming wider spread.

Four years ago, he said, opium production in China was at least seven times greater than in the rest of the world together, and it had increased greatly since.

Such extensive production was an intolerable menace to the world. Mr. Fuller suggested that the Chinese Government should permit or submit a more complete report on the situation, regarding the provincial monopolies, together with the revenues derived from opium sources.—*Reuter.*

Ho Sze, charged before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with riding a bicycle in Hommesy Road without holding the handle bars, was fined \$5. Sergeant

### STRIKING SOVIET PROPOSAL

#### SECURITY LOOMS LARGE AT GENEVA

#### TRANSFORMATION SUGGESTED

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Geneva, May 29. The most striking development at this afternoon's meeting of the Disarmament Conference was a proposal by M. Litvinoff, the Soviet delegate, to transform the Conference into a "Permanent and Regularly Assembling Conference of Peace."

It is the Russian idea that the Conference should concentrate on the preservation of world peace and that it should devote itself largely to guaranteeing security against aggressor nations.

#### GALLERIES CROWDED.

London, May 29. The galleries were very crowded and no fewer than fourteen foreign ministers were present.—*United Press.*

The General Commission of the Disarmament Conference met at Geneva to-day after an adjournment of over seven months.

The President, Mr. Arthur Henderson, in the opening speech, said the duty of the Conference was to carry its work to a successful end and he asked for the collaboration of all.

He expressed the view that the following points should be studied. Firstly, to reach an agreement on land armaments in which resided a guarantee for the national security of every nation. The recent exchange of notes between the various Governments had shown that the security problem was at the root of the whole situation.

Secondly, the danger of an increase in air forces, as there was no way of defence against air attacks.

#### PROTECTION OF VICTIMS.

Thirdly, it was most urgent to reach an agreement on the traffic (Continued on Page 7.)

### COLUMBIA AND PERU

#### GENEVA AGREEMENT ENDORSED

London, May 29. In the House of Commons, the Prime Minister expressed satisfaction in announcing the formal signature last week of a protocol of friendship and co-operation between Columbia and Peru. This, he said, was the result of negotiations which have been proceeding at Rio de Janeiro between delegates of those two countries on the terms of an agreement reached at Geneva a year ago.—*British Wireless.*

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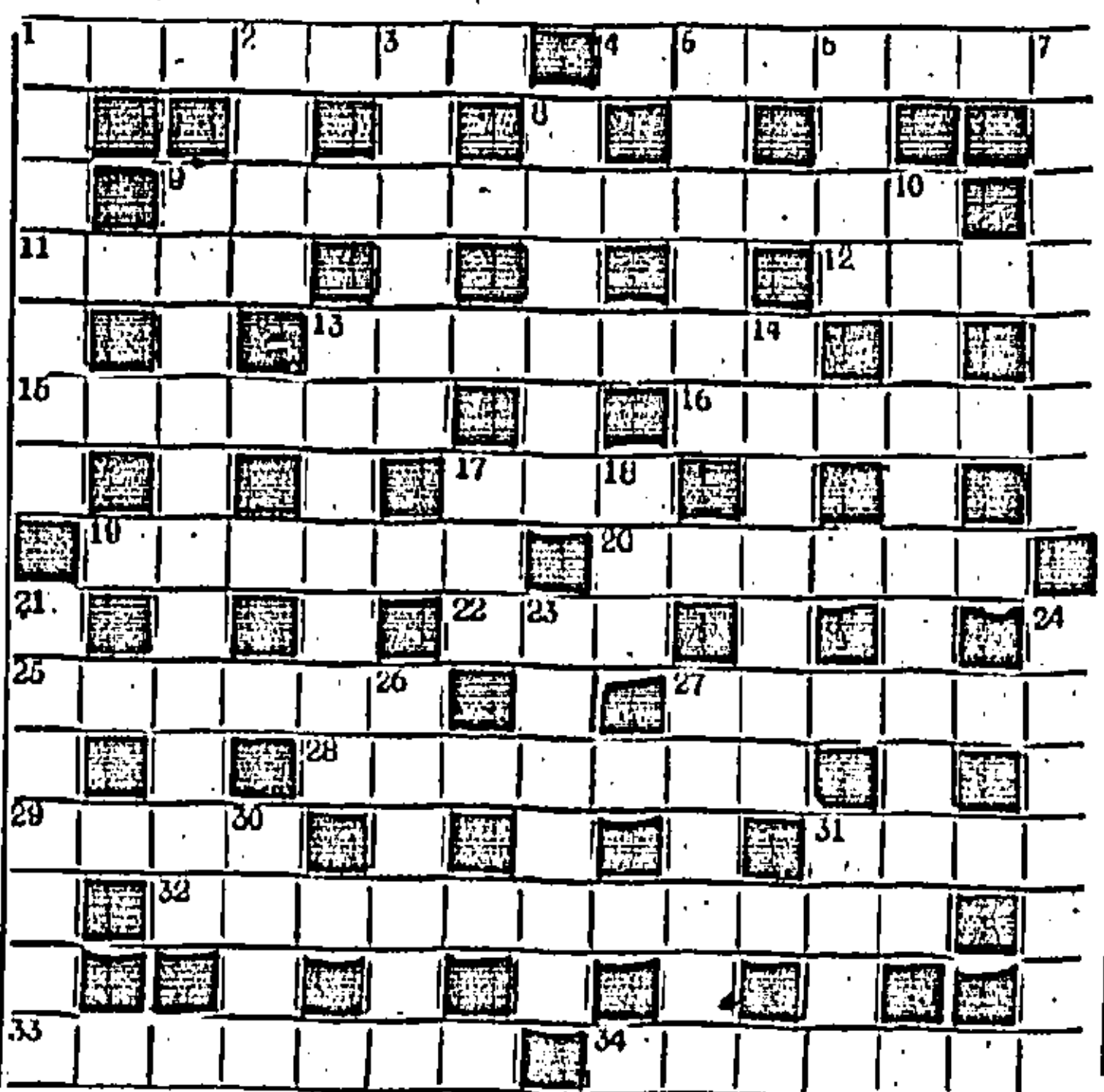




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## Across

- 1 Place apart.
- 4 Gathering—only worse.
- 9 It's roguery when shaven skins are so much up.
- 11 A weird-sounding sheet of water.
- 12 Use artistic treatment in making ketchup.
- 13 In this way the devil turning tail makes compositions.
- 15 Pressing.
- 16 Punch evidences the possession of it.
- 17 Tail of a comet.
- 19 Golfers should not take these away as souvenirs.
- 20 Transfix.
- 22 Give way.
- 25 Should be welcome to people fond of their own voices.
- 27 Suborned.
- 28 Quite a small lock.
- 29 The name of the wife who kept her head.
- 31 This city betrays no glut.
- 32 A form of fencing gives tennis matches vulgar credit.
- 33 A healing art.
- 34 Trouble or beer may be.

## Down

- 1 Genuine in a naive form.
- 2 Possibly straight, and used by 23 Down.
- 3 A Scottish river.
- 5 Fowl suggestion of treatment for obese patients.
- 6 Remains merely below a car.
- 7 Land may be: draw a deep breath, Edward!
- 8 Get away: you'll see the point before you've finished it.

## Down in a 'Varsity college for birds.

- 10 Except for the centre this little fish appears to remain behind.
- 13 If he tries his game, a fellow is going to pot for certain, but—here he's up in games and a real help.
- 14 Writings.
- 18 More than half tight.
- 21 Pets and moderates.
- 23 Here's a sportsman who somehow doesn't sound quite straight.
- 24 Gordian (anagram).
- 26 An utterer of notes.
- 27 Tribes (anagram).
- 30 The round end of 24 Down.
- 31 A doctor on this kind of boat would be in Russia.

## Yesterday's Solution

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## CHINESE MERCHANTS AND MR. ALFRED MORRIS

The work of Mr. Alfred Morris during his 29 years' service in Hongkong was again referred to in glowing terms yesterday afternoon when Chinese merchants of the Colony gathered at the Gloucester Restaurant to bid him farewell on his departure for England on June 1.

Mr. Ho Kom-tong, O.B.E., presiding at the function, others present being Hon. Sir William Shenton, Hon. Sir Shou-son Chow, Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, Hon. Dr. S. W. Tso, Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, Dr. Arthur Woo, Dr. Li Shu-fan, Messrs. Lau Ping-chye, Tang Shiu-kin, Chan Lim-pak, Li Tse-fong, Kwok Siu-lau, Ngan Shing-kwan, Kan Tong-po, Li Yick-mui, Ho Wing, Ip Lan-chuen, Tang Pak-lau.

Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Langley.

A beautiful scroll with an address in Chinese, was presented to Mr. Morris by Mr. Ho Kom-tong on behalf of the Chinese merchants.

Mr. Ho Kom-tong said:

Mr. Morris, Ladies and Gentlemen.—It is a great pleasure to me to have been asked by Mr. Morris's personal Chinese friends, who are gathered here to-day, to make the formal presentation of the Chinese Address to Mr. Morris, and to be their spokesman in tendering to Mr. Morris an expression of our sincere friendship for him, and of our good wishes to him and Mrs. Morris in their future happiness.

## Work Appreciated.

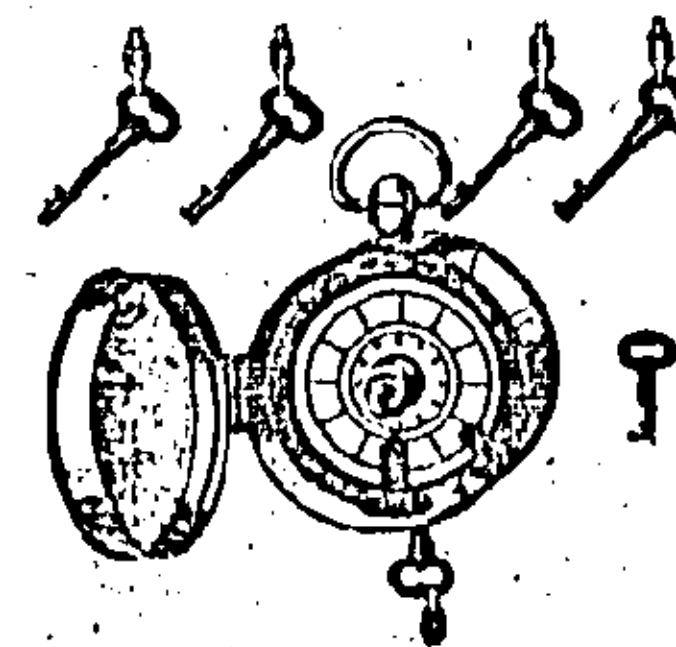
Our feelings for Mr. Morris, and our appreciation of his work in the interests of the Colony, are already set out in the Address; I need not therefore take up any more of your time by reminding you of what he has

done for us. His public spirit and devotion to duty will be an abiding example and inspiration to us all, as exemplified by his action in connection with the disaster which cast such a gloom over the Colony a fortnight or so ago. He was one of the first, if not the first, to be on the scene after the disaster, and he personally rendered first aid and attended to removal of the injured to hospital.

It is a matter of supreme satisfaction to his Chinese friends that Mr. Morris will return to the Colony after his well deserved holiday, so that this occasion is a joyous one, and we bid Mr. Morris "Au Revoir" and not "Good bye." And we keenly look forward to his return, so that he may resume the active administration of St. John Ambulance Brigade, to which he has dedicated so substantial a part of his life.

## Mr. Morris Replies.

In a short reply, Mr. Morris thanked the gathering for the honour they were doing him by asking him to the function. What little he had done



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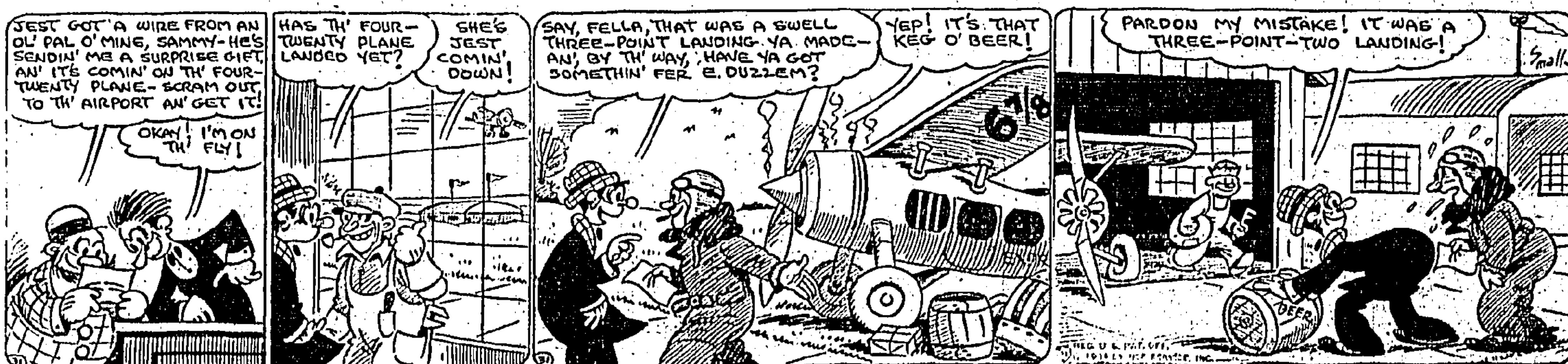


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# Married Flirts

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## BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

GYPSEY MORELL and TOM WEAVER are married the same day as LILA HOTALING and DEREK BLISS. Lila expects to live in luxury, while Gypsy intends to go on with her job, teaching in a settlement school. After returning from her honeymoon in Europe Lila invites the Weavers to dinner. Among the guests is wealthy MARKO BHOUGHTON, who once asked Gypsy to marry him. He shows her with attention which she accepts because she is jealous of Tom's interest in HILDA BLANCHARD. After the party Tom and Gypsy quarrel, but peace is later restored.

## CHAPTER XII

Lila held her white arm out and Derek slipped the bracelet over it. He turned her hand upward and kissed the palm.

"It suits you, Loveliness," he told her.

Lila smiled. All her life she had been smiling sweetly when people talked to her like that. It was like the breeze blowing or the sun shining. She expected it. It was part

of her very existence. You didn't have fair hair and an exquisite figure, like a Tanagra figurine, for nothing.

The bracelet was of flawless workmanship. There were sapphires in it and diamonds of the first water. On Lila's chaise longue in the cherry and white room upstairs lay a supple fur wrap, another gift from Derek. Quizzically, Lila accepted all this as her just due.

Derek said, "I wish we could have dinner here, all by ourselves, by the fire. I wish we needn't . . ."

Lila frankly stared. "What? Not go to Marko's? Ridiculous!"

"I know," Derek set his jaw. "Isn't it? But that's what I wish, just the same. Let's call him up."

She interrupted him, horror-struck. "Derek Bliss, you'll do nothing of the sort. Offend Marko! He's expecting us. Besides, it'll be fun. I'm looking forward to it. I got that new cream lace at Sylvia's just to wear to-day."

"Oh, I suppose you're right. It's a duty," Derek shrugged his shoulders.

"That's a darling," Lila approved him softly, having made her point. "Run along and dress. Marko insisted on having dinner at a ridiculous hour—five o'clock—but I suppose one must do mad things on Christmas day."

Derek went upstairs on laggard feet. This, he told himself rather drearily, wasn't Christmas. Why, as a kid, back home in Vermont, he had loved all the panoply of the season: the tree, smelling spicy and tantalizing; the carols in the snow; the candle-light windows—everything about it. He had even (he smiled to think of it now) liked to go to church on Christmas day.

The little old meeting house had had a special holiday odour, compounded of fir boughs and resin and woodsmoke. Well, no one he knew nowadays went to church. On Christmas they behaved much the same as any other day of the year. They had cock-

tails, told the same old jokes.

"It's a deadly life. I hate it," grumbled the young man to himself, shaving before the crystal mirror in his modernistic dressing room. And yet he knew, in his heart of hearts, that he would go on with it. There was nothing else to do. Lila—bless her heart for an angel and a beauty!—was used to this sort of existence.

"I'll bet those Weaver kids are having fun," he told himself, with a gleam of humour. "I bet they've got a toy tree with silver balls and all the rest of it." He liked Gypsy.

He thought her "a good sport. Tom seemed a nice chap, too. What a game they had made of the little supper at their house that Sunday night! He had thoroughly enjoyed himself. Lila hadn't, though. Funny how women were about the social racket. Now, he'd been brought up very simply, himself. His father had been the village doctor and there had been no frills about his boyhood. Lila was different. She wasn't content unless she had real lace on the

fingerbowl doilies. Gypsy's little party had bored her, she said afterward. Not that she wasn't fond of Gypsy. She was. "But we must have them over here," she had decided. "They just can't do any entertaining in that little box of an apartment. It's absurd to try."

Derek had opened his mouth to protest but had stopped, just in time. He was learning things about Lila. She hated to be disagreed with. Not that she hadn't a wonderful disposition, said Derek loyally, but she was just spirited . . . imperious. Rather nervous, too, these days. He rather thought she smoked too much, though he didn't like to suggest that.

He had worked himself into a more cheerful frame of mind by the time he'd finished shaving. A glance out of the high windows assured him of the fact that it was snowing again. Good enough! That, at any rate, insured the Kris Kringle touch. Derek slipped into his waistcoat, whistling softly.

This time next year, maybe, they'd have a child to celebrate Christmas with them. Or if not next Christmas, why the following one, then. A pity Lila wasn't more enthusiastic about kids. But of course she would be—all that would be changed when she'd had one of her own.

Lila was beautiful in the soft brown fur. What a lucky chap he was to have her! He'd been a fool to think he could keep her all to himself this afternoon. She was far too lovely to stay hidden.

The party at Marko's was in full swing when they arrived. Marko had the entire top floor of an exclusive apartment hotel in the east sixties. A man servant with an impassive face let them in. He was a new one. Derek had never seen him before. The noise struck him like a blow, when the door swung inward. Noise of radio music, of heightened human voices, of slipping feet. People were dancing. Marko had a crowd, as usual. No more eight or ten per-

sons in for dinner would satisfy him. He called 30 a small party.

Lila was in her element. She called greetings to half a dozen people in the foyer as she passed through. Derek felt a nervous twitching in his cheek. Well, after a drink or two he wouldn't mind the racket so much. That was one comfort.

His host greeted him. Marko was in high feather. He was bubbling with gaiety. Had Derek seen the tree? Ah, he hadn't? But he must—at once. Someone take Mr. Bliss to the dining room. Lila whispered Marko in the younger man's ear, had chosen the decorations for him. Charming! Everyone admired them so.

Derek in the wake of a blond youth he remembered seeing in Marko's private office the week before, found the tree no familiar affair of laden fir boughs and tinsel, but an artificial one, a modernistic tree in silver, all angles. Blue stars appeared at intervals in its travestied branches. Derek stared, but there was no admiration in his eyes. Was this Lila's idea of a Christmas tree? Almost he shuddered, but remembered himself in time.

"Clever, isn't it?" He recalled himself, and nodded to the youth beside him.

The evening wore on. Dinner, a many-coursed affair, was served, toyed with, ended. Derek noticed plate after plate carried away untouched. The glasses were filled and emptied. The red roses drooped in their silver vases. Down the table, Lila gleamed like a pearl. Derek could hear her laughter.

Well, it was a good thing, he thought savagely, that one of them was enjoying the evening. The wine only deepened his depression.

Marko was taking them all to a revue, one of the gayest. That Derek and Lila had seen it more than once—three times, in fact—did not matter. The party fled down the aisle after the second act had opened, occasioning much ashing and grinning of necks among the rest of the audience. Derek

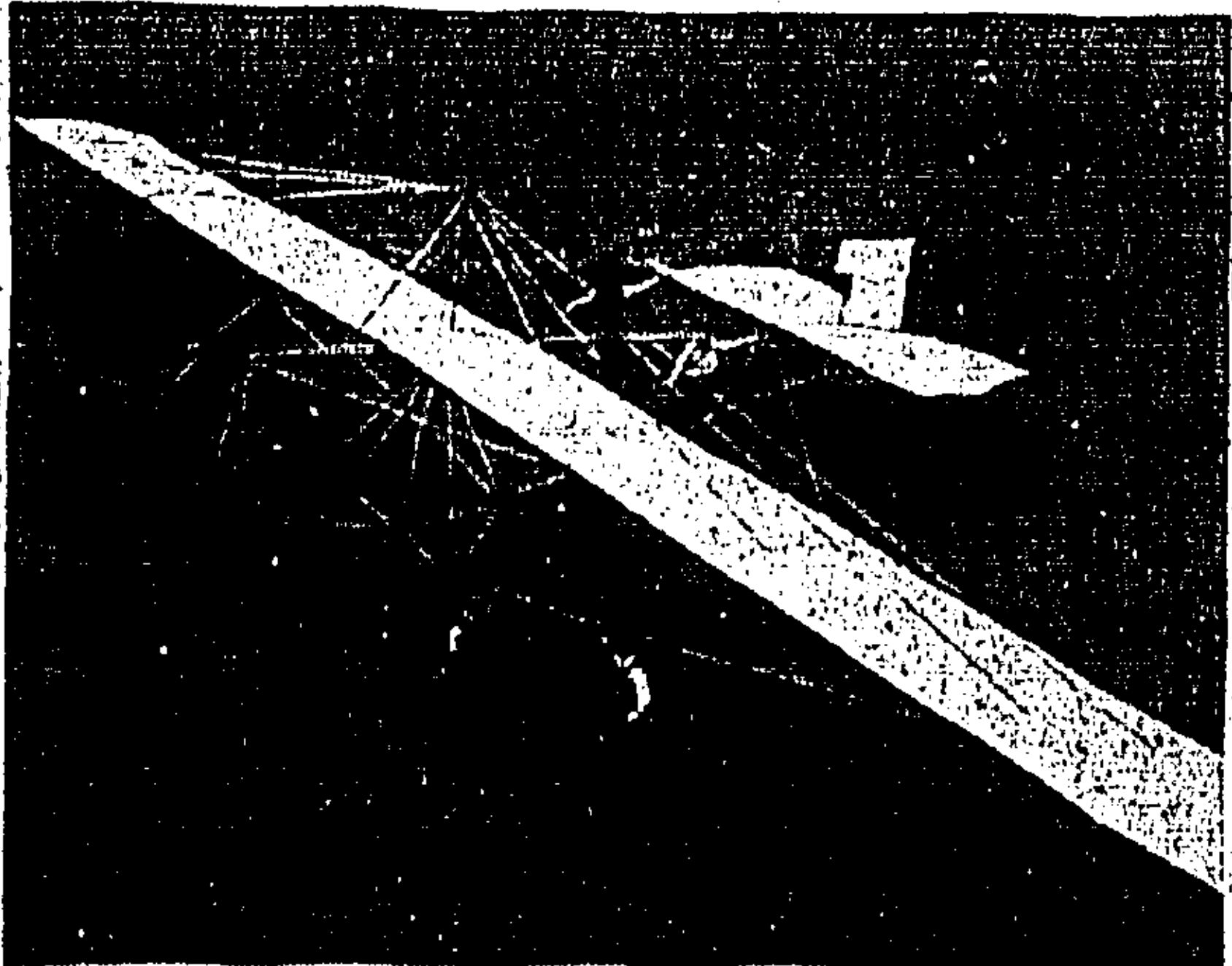
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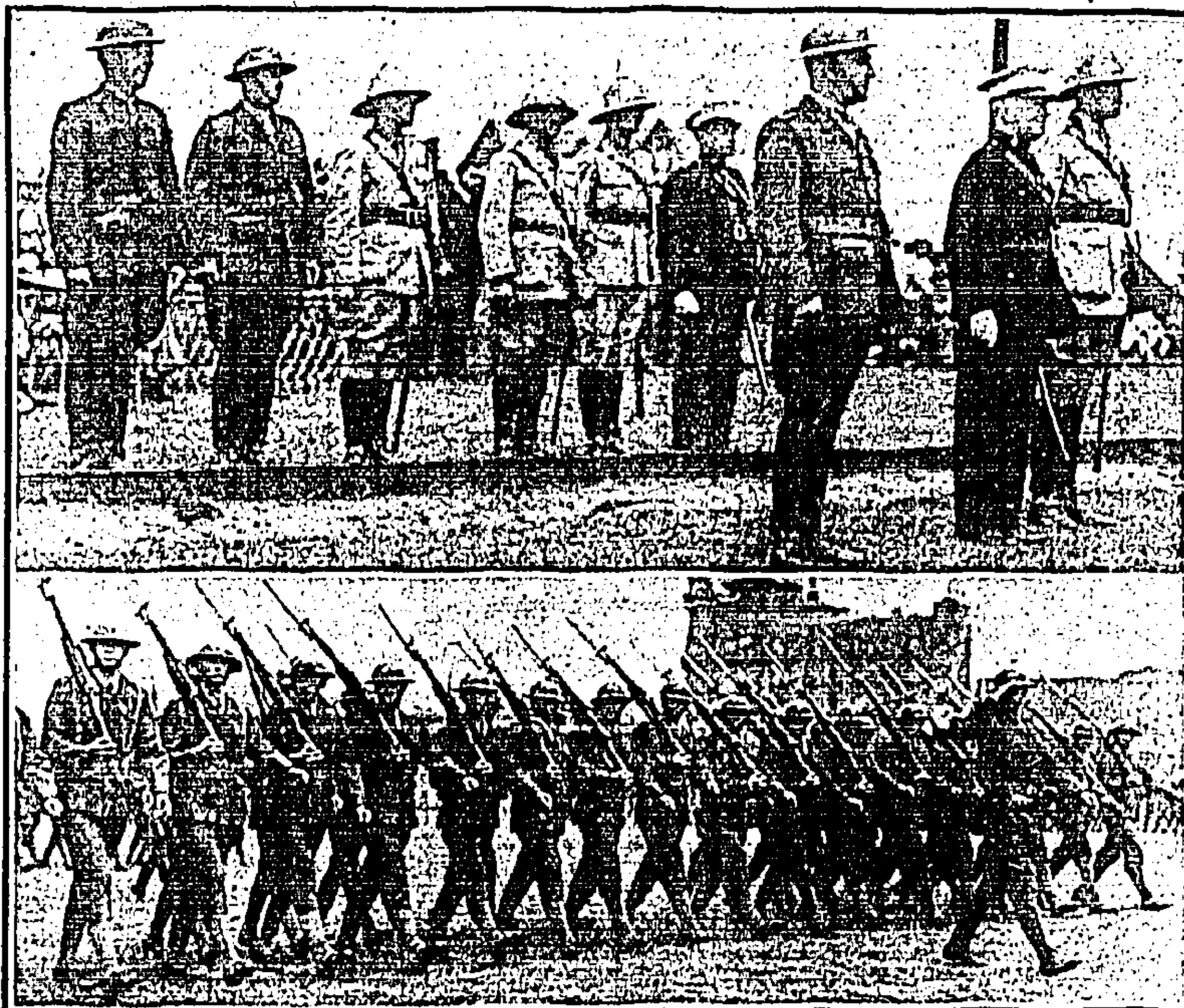
Many a lusty cheer went up from a pier crowded with spectators when Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith's Endeavour, England's 15th challenger for the historic America's Cup, took the waters, shown here, at Portsmouth. The yacht, a successor to Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock, will attempt to wrest the coveted trophy off Newport, R. I., in September.



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English open air gymnasts preparing for a coming display in connection with the annual Bank Holiday fêtes.



Prince Midvank, with the Princess, formerly Miss Barbara Hutton. It is stated that their marriage of a few months is on the verge of breakup.

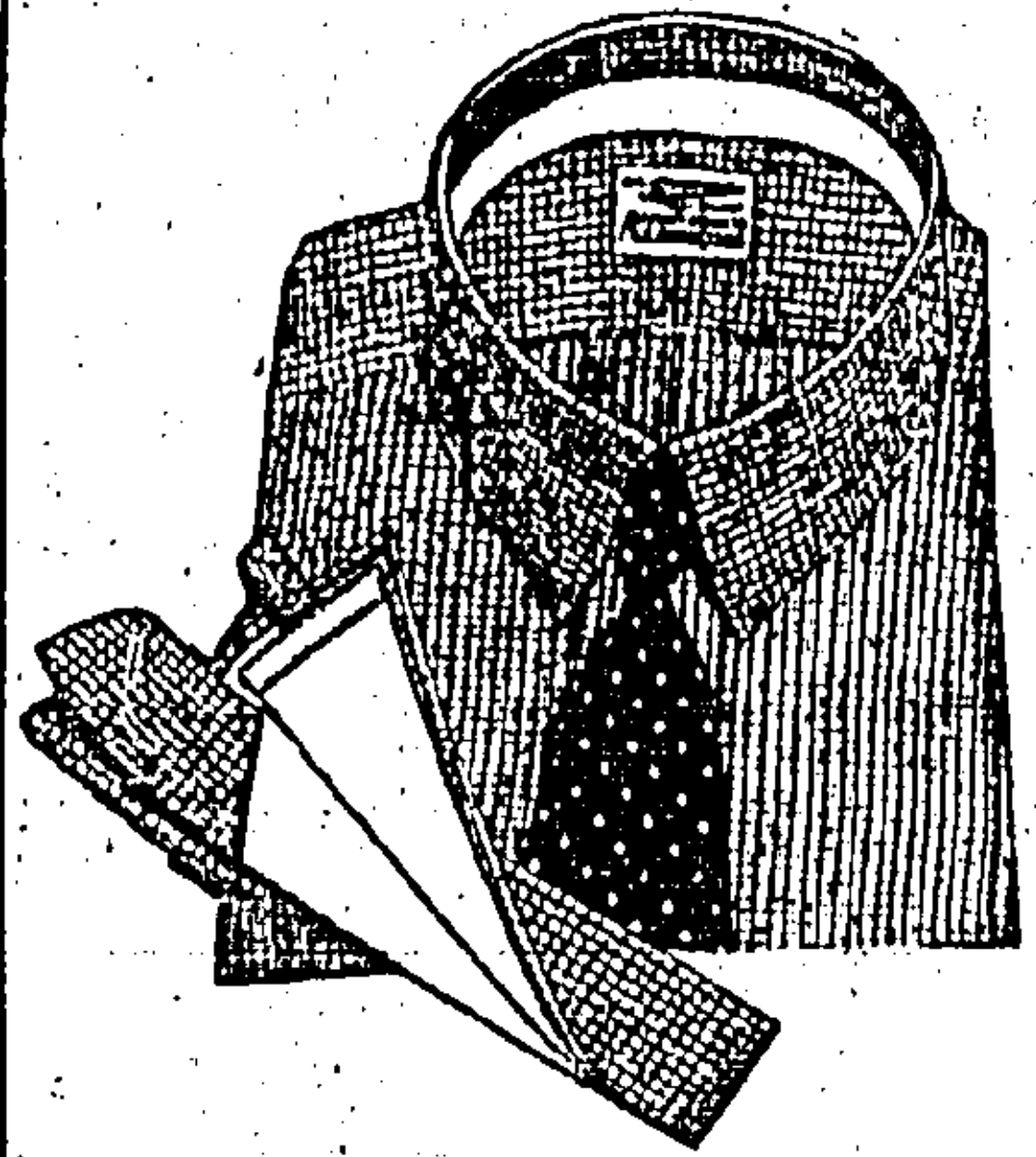
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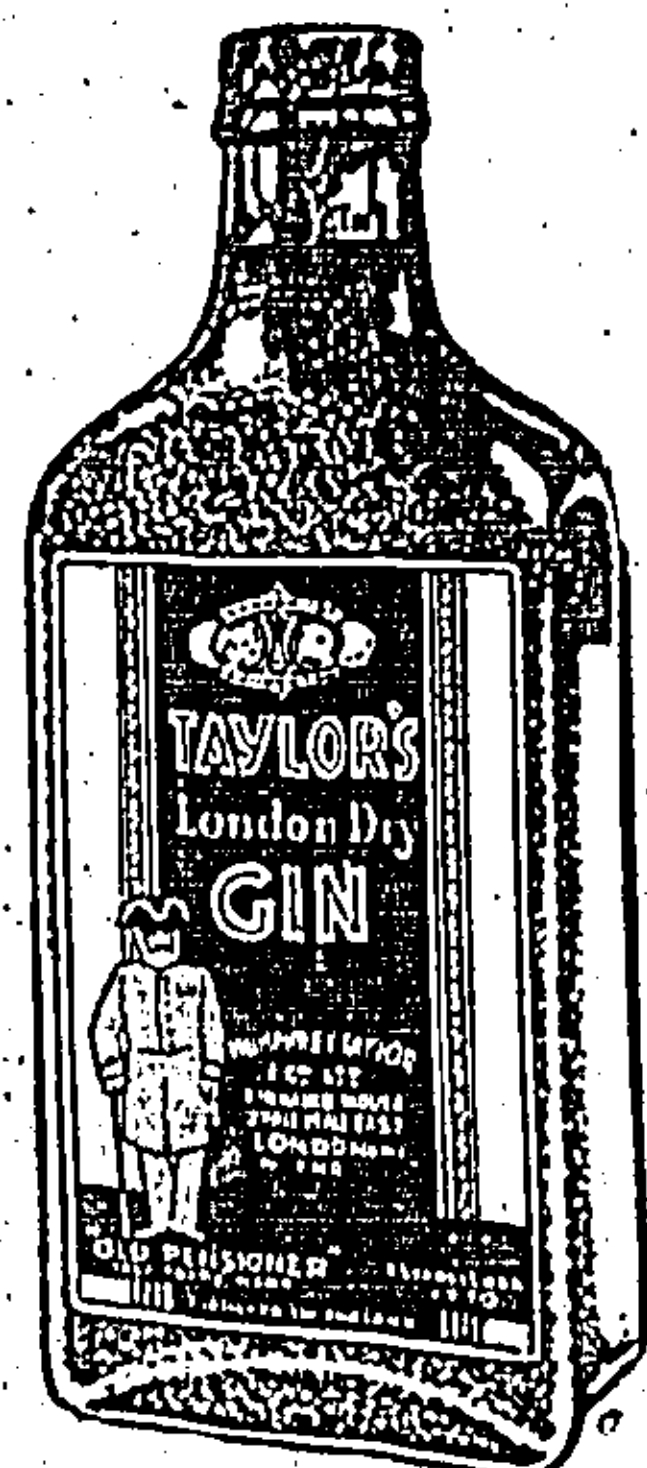
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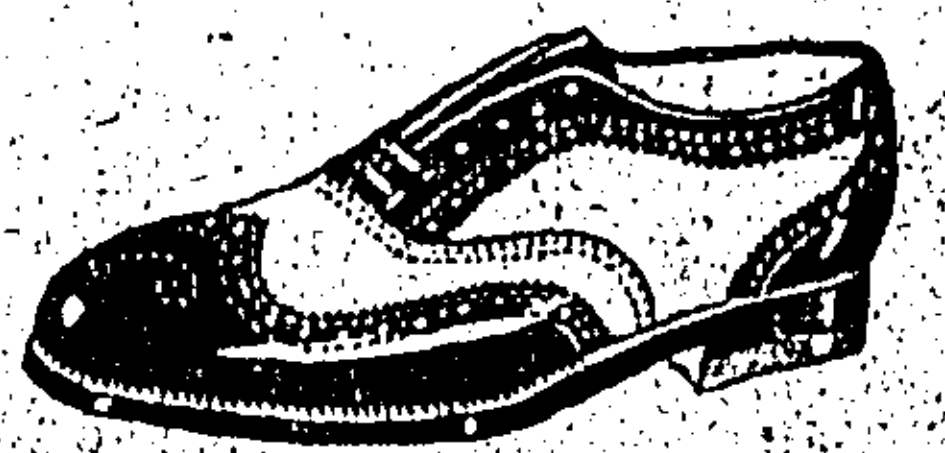
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1. Attention is drawn to the provisions of the above Ordinance which comes into force on 1st June, 1934.

2. Unless specially exempted in writing by the Inspector General of Police or exempted by Section 2 (6) of the Ordinance, every alien other than an alien of Chinese race who is resident in the Colony at the commencement of this Ordinance is required to report the fact in person or in writing for registration at Police Headquarters within one month of such commencement, and every such person who arrives in the Colony or who changes his ordinary residential or business address or who is about to leave the Colony is required to report the fact at Police Headquarters within seventy-two hours after every such arrival or within one week before every such change of address or intended departure.

3. In any case of doubt a person shall be deemed to be an alien unless and until he produces a certificate, passport or other evidence to the satisfaction of the Inspector General of Police or of a Magistrate to the effect that he is a natural born or naturalised British subject.

4. The Registration Office at Police Headquarters will be open between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. on week-days.

E. D. C. WOLFE,

Inspector General of Police.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWELFTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Lounge adjoining the Company's Restaurant, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, 9th June, 1934, at 11 o'clock a.m.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 28th May, 1934 to 9th June, 1934, both days inclusive.

By Order of the  
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A. W. BROWN,  
Manager & Secretary,  
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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th, June 1934, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 2nd, June 1934, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

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All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society.

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MOTOR CARS  
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## POST OFFICE NOTICE

### INWARD MAILS.

Straits	Relax	May 30.
Manila	Emp. of Japan	May 30.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Telegrams)	Kaiser-I-Hind	May 30.
Papers, 26th April		
Calcutta and Straits	Suisang	May 30.
Japan	Tanda	May 30.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia	Telrasas	May 30.
(London, 10th May).		
Shanghai	Tyndarus	May 30.
Manila	General Lee	June 1.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 7th May).		
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 12th May)	Mantua	June 1.
Shanghai and Amoy	Pres. Jefferson	June 1.
Straits	Sunning	June 1.
Australia and Manila	Conte Rosso	June 2.
Saigon	Nankin	June 2.
Manila	Andre Lebon	June 3.
	Prus, Wilson	June 4.

### OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Wednesday.	
Hoihow and Bangkok	Kaying	Wed., May 30, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow	Seistan	Wed., May 30, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan	Wed., May 30, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Shirain	Wed., May 30, 5 p.m.
	Thursday.	
Amoy	Tysadane	Thurs., May 31, 8.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Heutz	Thurs., May 31, 9.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Kaiser-I-Hind	Thurs., May 31, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru	Thurs., May 31, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., May 31, 3 p.m.
	Friday.	
Amoy	Suisang	Fri., June 1, 8.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Fri., June 1, 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C. and Europe via Siberia (Due Vancouver, B.C., June 20.)	Emp. of Japan	Fri., June 1, 10.30 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Huihong	Reg.,	May 31, 5 p.m.
Saigon	Reg.,	June 1, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Reg.,	June 1, 10 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco (Due San Francisco, 25th June)	Reg.,	June 1, 10 a.m.
	Saturday.	
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	Sat., June 2, 9 a.m.
Letters for "Handong—Amsterdam Mantua Air Mail Service"		Sat., June 2.
K. P. O.		
Reg.,	June 1, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters,	June 1, 5 p.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Reg.,	June 1, 5 p.m.
K. P. O.		
Parcels,	June 1, 4.30 p.m.	
Reg.,	June 2, 9 a.m.	
Letters,	June 2, 10 a.m.	
"Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane, 19th June)	Reg.,	June 1, 5 p.m.
Amoy	Hupei	Sat., June 2, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., June 2, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Andre Lebon	Sat., June 2, 5 p.m.	
Siberia		
	Sunday.	
Foochow	Chinhua	Sun., June 3, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kiangau	Sun., June 3, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., June 3, 9 a.m.

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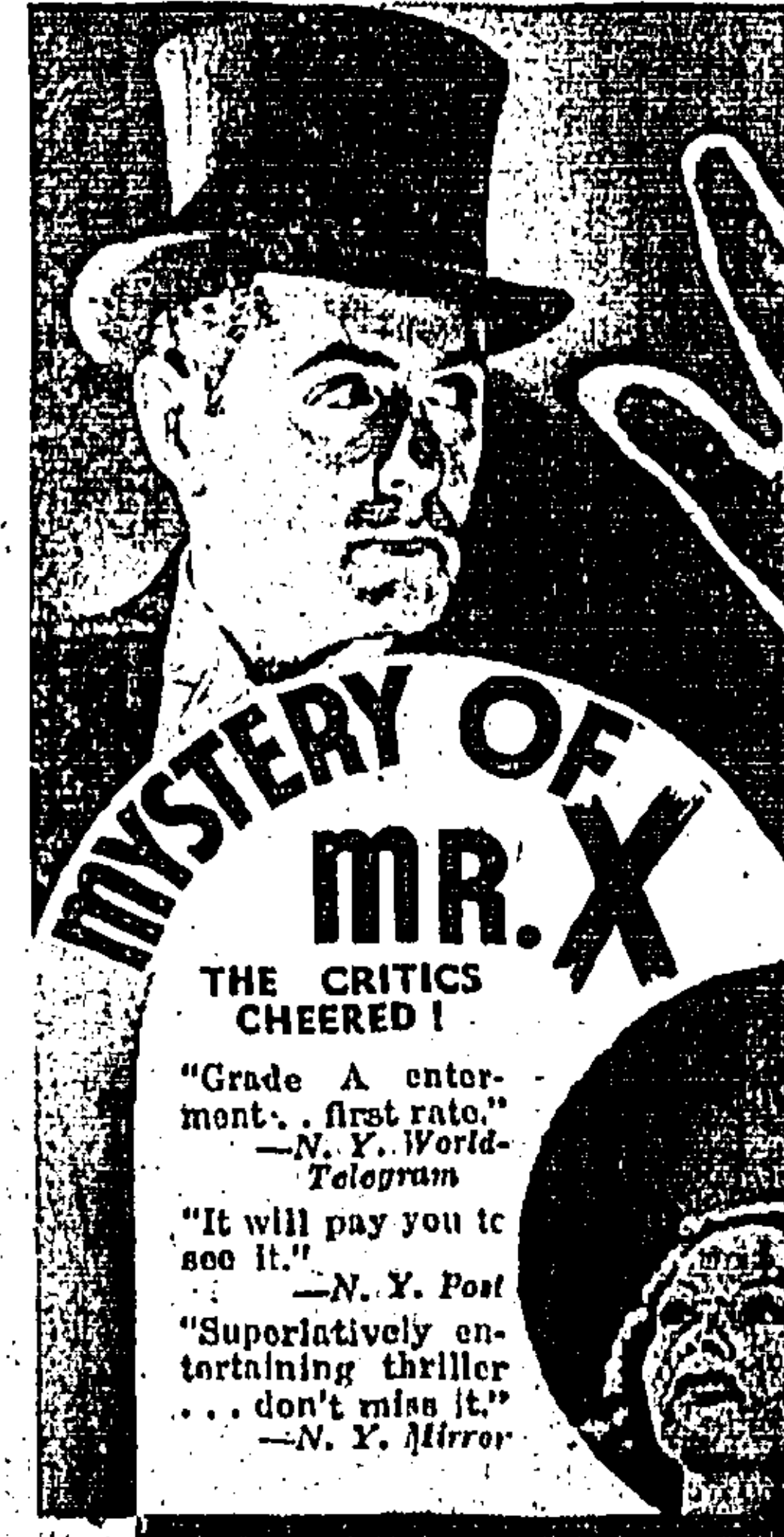
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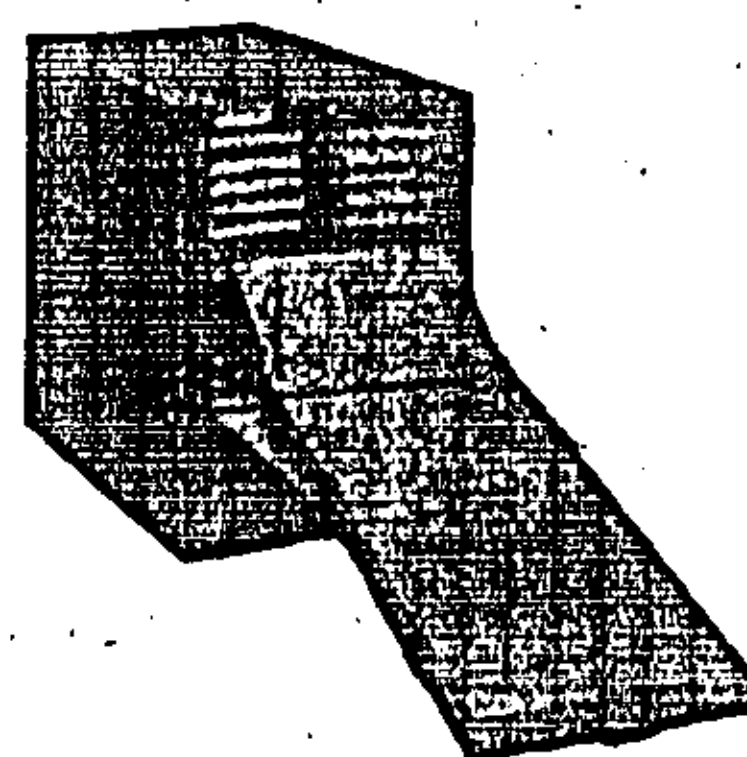
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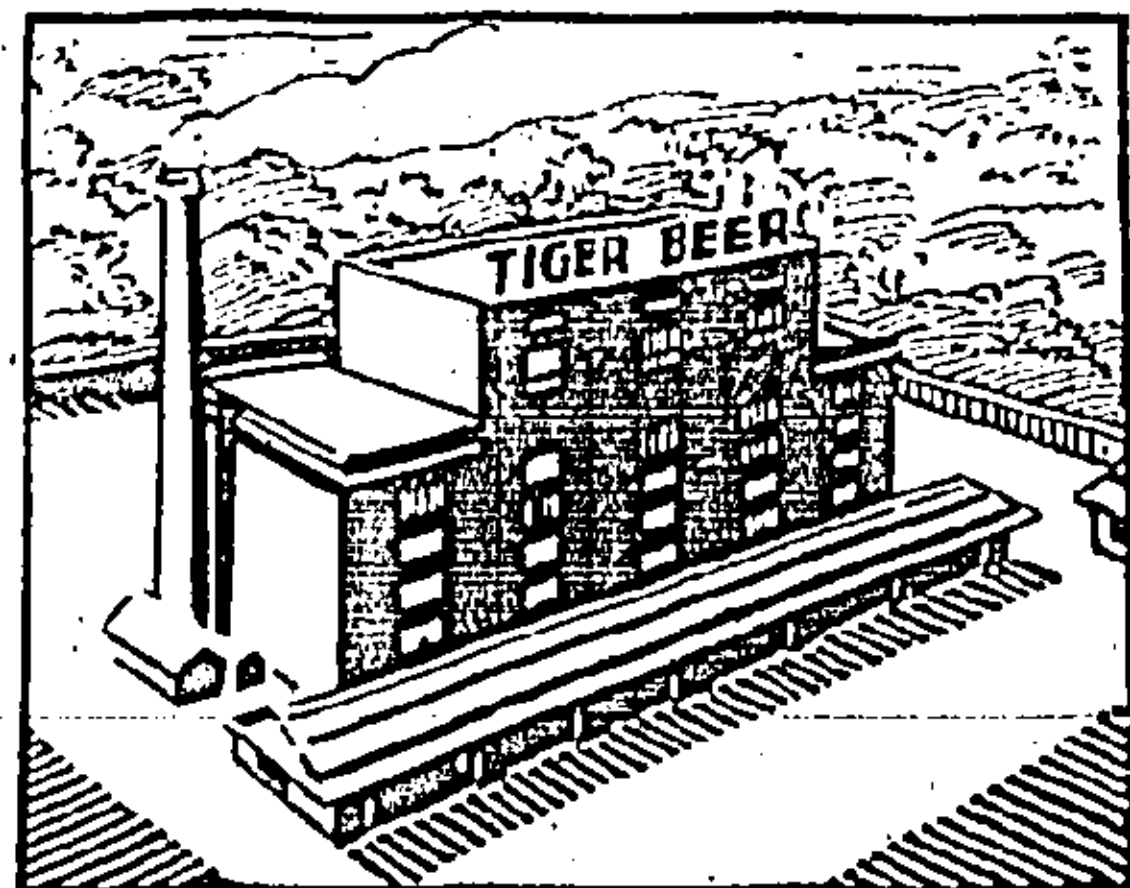
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### TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

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H.K. Banks, \$1867½ n.  
H.K. Bank (London), \$131 n.  
Chartered Bank, \$10½ n.  
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$23 n.  
East Asia Bank, \$95 n.  
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.  
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.  
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$6 n.

#### Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$300 n.  
Union Ins., \$582½ n.  
China Underwriters, \$1¼ n.  
China Fire, \$510 n.  
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.  
International Asse., \$6 n.

#### Shipping.

Douglas, \$41 n.  
H.K. Steamboats, \$9 n.  
Indo-Chinas, (Prof.), \$30 n.  
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$33 n.  
Shells (Bearer), 50½ n.  
Union Waterboats, \$11.10 n.

#### Mining.

Antamoks, 71 cts. n.  
Batacos, \$33½ n.  
Baguio Gold, 37 cts. n.  
Benguet, \$32¼ n.  
Benguet Exploration, 18 cts. n.  
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.  
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.  
Gold Creek, \$3½ n.  
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.  
Ilogons, \$7 n.  
Kallian, 21½ n.  
Langkats (Single), \$18½ n.  
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$4.80 n.  
Shai Loans, \$5¼ n.  
Taubas, \$16½ n.  
Venz: Goldfield, \$7 n.

#### Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$104½ n.  
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.  
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.  
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.  
Providents (old), \$1.85 n.  
Providents (new), 75 cts. n.  
Hongkows, Sh. \$350 n.  
New Engineering, Sh. \$5.20 n.  
Shanghai Docks, \$133 n.

#### Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$10.90 n.  
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$75 n.  
Shai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$43 n.  
Zoong Singa, Sh. \$13½ n.  
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$55 n.

#### Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6.05 n.  
H.K. Lands, \$350 n.  
Shai Lands, Sh. \$25 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.  
Humphreys, \$11.20 n.  
H.K. Realities, \$5.10 n.  
Asia Realities "A", Sh. \$140 n.  
Asia Realities "B", Sh. \$20 n.  
Chinese Estates, \$80 n.  
China Realities, Sh. \$15½ n.  
China Debenture, Sh. \$137 n.

#### Public Utilities.

Tramway, \$21.30 n.  
Peak Trams (old), \$15.00 n.  
Peak Trams (new), \$7½ n.  
Star Ferries (old), \$100 n.  
Yaumati Ferries, \$22½ n.  
C. Lights (old), \$8.80 n.  
C. Lights (new), \$8½ n.  
H.K. Electric, \$73½ n.  
Macao Electric, \$25 n.  
Sandakan Lights, \$8 n.  
Telephones (old), \$25.10 n.  
Telephones (new), \$12.60 n.  
China Buses, Sh. \$13.20 n.  
Singapore Traction, 5/- n.  
Singapore Pref., 19/10½ n.

#### Industrials.

Malabon Sugars, \$12 n.  
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.  
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), \$19¼ n.  
Canton Tees, \$2.70 n.  
Cements (new), \$2.70 n.  
H.K. Ropes, \$9½ n.

#### Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$26½ n.  
Watsons, \$6¼ n.  
Der A Wings, \$1 n.  
Lane Crawford, \$4 n.  
Mackintosh, \$21 n.  
Sincere, \$9½ n.  
Wm. Powells, 30 cts. n.  
Wing On (H.K.), \$120 n.

#### Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$4 n.  
H.K. Entertainments, \$7½ n.  
S.C. Enterprises, \$1¼ n.  
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.  
Macao "Greyhounds", \$2 n.  
Constructions (old), \$1.65 n.  
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Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds, \$7½ n.  
H.K. Govt. Loan 8½% b. prem, Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.  
Gold River, 20 cts. n.

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

### LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. Chinese Bonds.

	May 28.	May 29.
4½% Bonds 1898 (Fug. Ins.)	£101	£101
4½% Loan 1908	£93	£93
5% Loan 1912	£69½	£69½
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£92	£92
5% Bonds 1925-27	£88	£88
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£68	£68
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£36	£36
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£26½	£26½
5% Shai-Hichow Ningpo Rly.	£99	£99
5% Honan Rly.	£29½	£29
5% Hukuang Rly. 1911	£39½	£39½
5% Lung Fung U. Rai Rly. 1913	£15½	£15½
Foreign Bonds and Banks.		
German 7½ Int. Loan 1924	71	72
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£73½	£73½
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£86½	£86½
H.K. & Shai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£131	£131
Charth. Bk. 25 sh. 16½	£10½	
Industrials and Breweries.		
Associated Elec.	17/9	17/3
Industries	17/9	17/3
Brit. Amer. Tob. (Bearer)	120/7½	120/7½
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer)	21/3	21/3
Tate and Lyle	90/10½	90/6
Courtaulds	50/3	50/3
Distillers	91/-	90/-
Dunlop Rubber	48/10½	47/0
Eveready 5/- sh. General Electric (England)	41/4½	41/-
Boots	44/-	44/3
Impl. Chem. Ind.	36/-	34/6
Impl. Chem. Ind. Def. 10/- sh.	8/7½	8/10½
Impl. Tobacco	126/3	125/1½
Woolworths	99/-	98/6
Internat. Nickel no par val	26½	26½
Pinchell Johnson 10/- sh.	38/1½	38/1½
Turner and Newall	47/6	47/-
Unilever	24/-	24/-
Miscellaneous		
Anglo-Dutch	25/-	24/9
Burns Corp'n Rs. 10	13/4½	13/3
Canadian Pacific Rly. 25 sh.	£15½	£15½
Charth. 15/- sh. (Bearer)	24/6	24/6
Gula Kalumpont Rubber	23/3	23/1½
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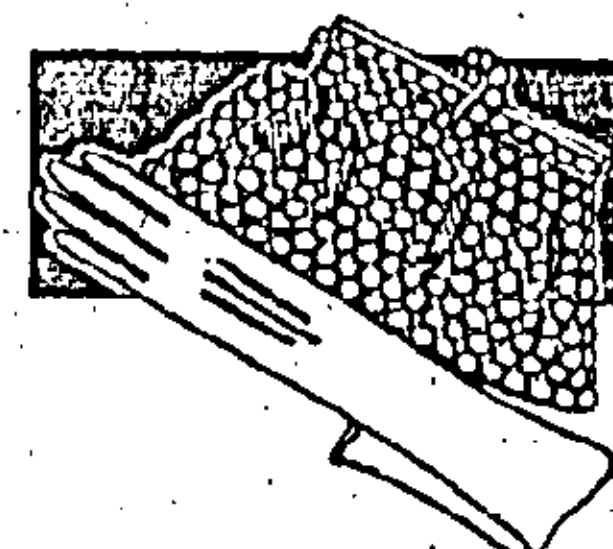
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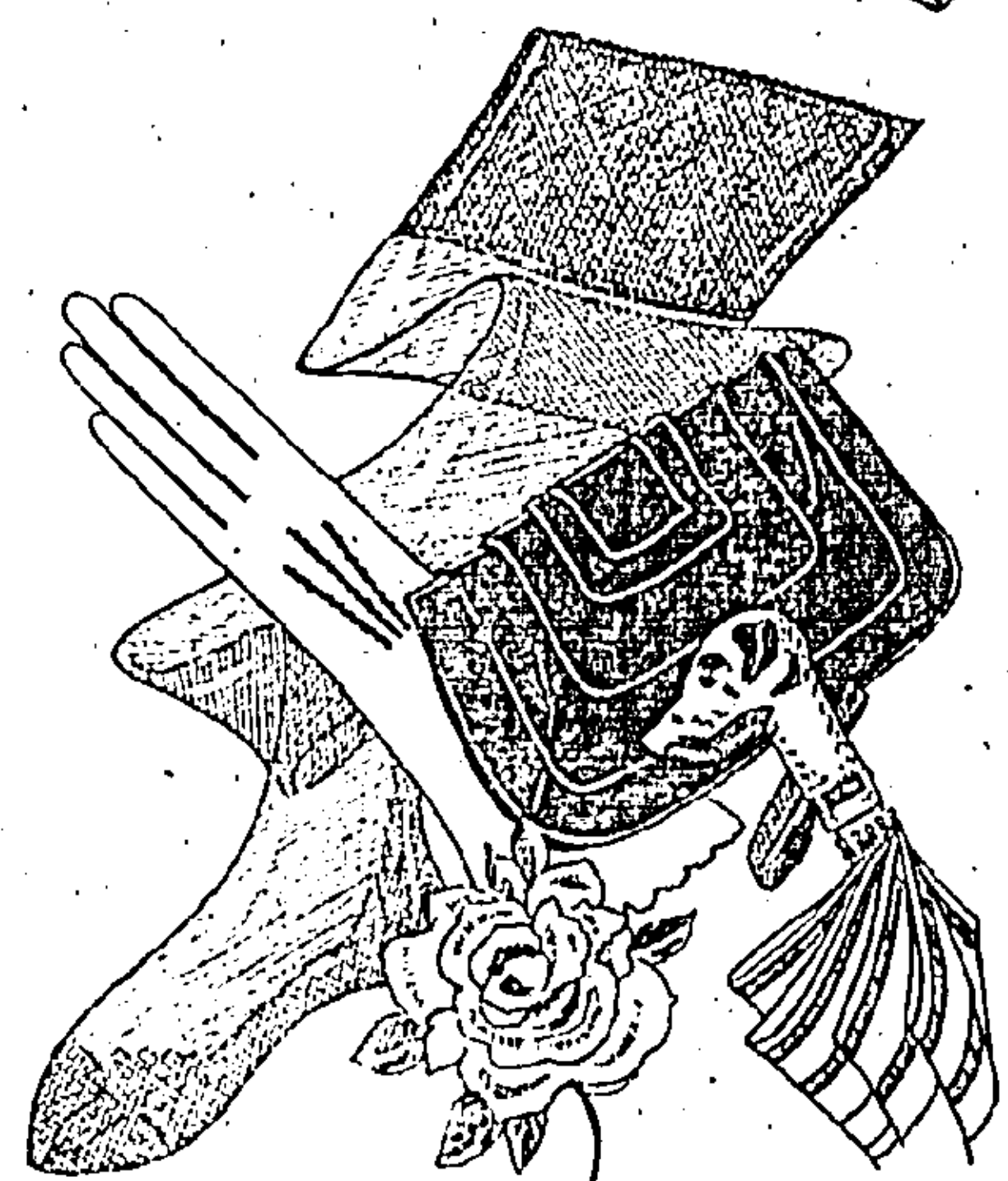
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JAPAN AND NAVAL  
RATIOS

Despite the insistence by Japan on the granting of naval parity with Britain and the United States, it is something to the good that the Tokyo Government is not averse to bilateral talks regarding the Naval Conference scheduled to meet next year. It is a wise move to endeavour to clear the ground somewhat before the Conference actually takes place. There are indications, however, that difficulties are likely to be encountered not only in regard to the naval ratio issue but also concerning the subjects to be discussed. Japan sees no ground for discussion of Far Eastern problems or political questions, pleading that these have already been thoroughly discussed by the League of Nations. The point is ignored, however, that Japan has steadfastly set her face against League intervention on Far Eastern issues, with the net result that the deliberations on these matters might as well never have taken place. On the other hand, it is hinted that both Britain and the United States firmly hold to the view that political questions are inextricably bound up with the problem of naval ratios, in view of Japan's military and political activities on the Asiatic mainland. The two issues are undoubtedly closely interwoven, and it is difficult to see how they can be divorced one from the other. Japan's stand on the naval question has recently been very bluntly stated in an official statement issued in Tokyo to the effect that the Washington ratios are a menace to the safety of the Japanese Empire, and that a new agreement must be drawn up "fairer and more reasonable, affording Japan a genuine assurance of security."

It might almost be imagined from this statement that Japan is menaced by aggressive policies on the part either of the United States or of Britain, or both. Nothing, of course, is further from the truth. On what grounds, then, can the preservation of the existing ratios be held prejudicial to the safety or security of Japan? If there is any sign of aggressive tactics in relation to Pacific questions, it is to be found more in the policies of Japan than those of any other nation. The cause of peace will certainly not be served by scrapping of the existing naval ratios; indeed, there have already been pointed hints that if Japan insists on equality, the United States will feel impelled to strengthen her Pacific bases. In other words, a new naval race is in prospect. Japan to-day is in no more danger from outside aggression than she was when the Washington ratios were agreed to. On that ground alone, it is hard to see how a case can be made out for revision of the existing agreement.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## FUR FLYING

While scare-mongers and timorous folk in the United States talk excitedly of revolutions planned at Washington dinner parties, the man with an ordinary pair of eyes can get a much better estimate of the situation by looking around the country to the spots where the spray is beginning to fly over the battlements. If America does have a revolution, it will not come from the penning of eager intellectuals in Washington. Instead, it will be the result of ordinary folk getting wild and, in the American vernacular, starting to throw things. The last week's news contains several items that come pretty close to that category. In Minneapolis, the biggest city in Minnesota, the lorry-drivers virtually blockaded the city, preventing the passage of food supplies. It only needed the presence of a violent revolutionary to have converted that remarkable situation into actual seizure of control of the city.

## GOVERNOR ACTS

In Oklahoma City, Governor Murray only ordered national guardsmen on duty in eleven counties to prevent the sale of property for delinquent taxes, as advertised by county authorities. The soldiers were ordered to arrest "as a military prisoner" any county treasurer or other officer who tried to conduct such sale. In Nebraska, farm leaders organised a demonstration of 25,000 farmers to protest against New Deal agricultural policies and to demand the release of two men arrested for preventing farm mortgage foreclosure sales. In Toledo, Ohio, despite drastic action by the National Guards defending the Autolite Factory, strikers launched repeated assaults in attempts to smash through the barriers, great steel gates being torn from their hinges and strike-breakers being kept in captivity for days, being afraid to venture out.

## FARMERS READY FOR "WAR"

And in North Dakota, farmers are still threatening "actual battle" to save their land from foreclosure, and demand that the governor declare martial law to save the situation. When all these things are added together, they sound rather ominous. A change is coming over the face of the waters—and it is the man at the bottom of the intellectual causing it, not the brains trust leader who is sitting craftily at a desk in Washington. What trouble is brewing in the United States is coming from the grass roots, not down from above. And the way to avert more trouble is to remove the causes of this discontent on the spot. Tuning in on after-dinner chats at Washington tells nothing and gets the people nowhere.

## A FAMOUS FAIR PASSING

Sentimental ties between Britons abroad and home, despite the ineffable bosh of magazine writers and after-dinner speakers, are extremely strong; and one thing in which we exiles are sure to disagree is a broad deal of interest in the slow passage from the contemporary scene of some of old England's most ancient traditions and customs. An example is the pending abolition of the famous Stourbridge Fair, at Cambridge. This fair dates back to the year 1211. In the Middle Ages it was one of the most famous fairs in the world, bringing merchants and travellers from all over Europe. Milton mentions it in "Paradise Lost." King Henry VIII levied on the fair's profits, in 1539, to relieve his own financial stringency. Now, according to the *Sunday Times*, the fair may be abolished. It has no practical value, and it is neglected by the general public.

## SUPER MEN

Professor Borget of Columbia should be warned. Otherwise he soon may be permanently disillusioned by men's apparent ingratitude. There are understandable reasons why they will seem ungrateful for his promise that organic chemistry will produce a superman, perhaps sooner than nature. We, for one, should like to know what being a superman implies. Does it mean we should also be a super-handyman-around-the-house, for instance, a super-answerer of unnecessary questions, or of wrong-number ringers who seem to specialise on our telephone? Will organic chemistry make us a super-salary-maker, or a super-maker-of-ends-to-meet? Will it make us a super-superman, or just one of a crowd of quite ordinary "super" supermen? Will it make us a super-seat-getter on the bus, or a super-scent-giver-up? A super-tupper-into-the-theatre-late, or a super-riser at the theatre for other super-sleppers-on-not-so-super-feet? Will it make us a superman even if we don't want to be? Or will it make us want to be? And in either case, won't we become rather super-helpless about it all?

CHINA PLAYING  
WAITING GAME

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS

ABANDONING all hope of being able to stop attempts at further piecemeal dismemberment, China is planning to consolidate her position within a much smaller, more compact area and there prepare for a comeback. Prepared if need be to abandon two-thirds of her enormous territory for an indefinite period, China has begun one of the most amazing efforts at national recovery since the time of the classic stratagem of the Trojan horse. The Japanese art of jiu jitsu wrestling is based on timing. The weak win over the strong by appearing to yield at an unexpected moment, then tripping the onrush of opponent thus caught off his guard. Aged and feeble China is going to jiu jitsu husky young Nippon.

## JAPAN JUST STARTING

Chinese leaders do not try to conceal their belief that the position of the republic is precarious. They are convinced that Japanese activities on the Asiatic mainland have only just begun. They fully expect further aggression from that quarter. And they are unanimous that, so far as China is concerned, she cannot stop them. That is the basis of China's present programme. China is now keenly aware that for an indefinite period to come she can expect little or no practical help from the League of Nations, the nine-power treaty signatories, or any of the other component parts of the world peace machinery. Ergo, China must begin to look out for herself. But this she cannot do if, in addition to facing attacks from without, she must engage in two or three civil wars inside her own borders. In addition to China proper, there are Manchuria, Jehol, Mongolia, Chinese Turkestan and Tibet, and China has no means of getting at any of them.

## COUNTRY TOO LARGE

Bluntly, the Chinese geography for the moment is too vast. The power of the Nanking government simply won't spread so far. It is doubtful even if the strongest of the western powers could cope with China's foreign and domestic difficulties, given her dearth of communications. From Nanking to western Sinkiang and Tibet takes two or three months by primitive and perilous river and camel travel. "How about planes?" I asked. "No place to land," was the reply. "Besides," the official added, "the planes would be captured unless protected by a large military force."

## REVOLTS ALWAYS RAGING

It is not surprising, therefore, that China is practically never free from revolts. Generally speaking, there are two or three going on in different parts of the country at the same time. It is practical considerations such as these that are dictating the present course of Gen. Chiang Kai-shek, China's generalissimo.

"strong man," and chairman of the National Military Council. When Japan seized Mukden, he did nothing. When she over-ran all Manchuria, he did not go to the rescue. At Shanghai, it was the 19th Route Army, even then more or less hostile to the government at Nanking, that bore the brunt of the Japanese assault. And when Jehol was invaded, General Chiang's resistance was only nominal. There was much hostile criticism in his own country. He was charged with playing into the hands of the enemy. But the explanation given to me makes it all very simple.

## SAVES BEST SOLDIERS

"Why throw away our best soldiers?" an official queried. "We hadn't the faintest chance to win. We would merely have weakened ourselves still further and gained nothing." When machine gun battalions and batteries of field artillery fell back from Jehol on Peking, the best of the material was pulled out first. If any of it was to be captured, let it be the oldest and poorest. From the maze of difficulties which beset China on all sides, inside and out, there has emerged a plan. Why continue to poke about futilely in a dozen different directions at once? Like an army besieged, why not draw in the lines and concentrate on the main job of trying to save what is left?

## "BALLAST" IS DROPPED

In effect, China is making a sweeping gesture in the direction of the map, saying: "All that yellow area you see there is mine: Manchuria, Jehol, Inner Mongolia, Outer Mongolia, Sinkiang, and Tibet, besides the 18 provinces of China proper. But, for the time being, all save China proper—and perhaps even some of that—will pretty much have to shift for itself." Nanking is doing heroic work building roads and establishing other means of communication, including air routes. She plans a modern, national army equal to any. Famous German army officers have been engaged as advisers to General Chiang. The job as chief adviser previously had been offered to Gen. Smedley Butler, retired U. S. marine commander. His prestige in the Far East is not high for the way he handled his forces at Shanghai. "He refused to accept," it is understood, lest an American in such a position further complicate the already none too good Japanese-American relations.

## AMERICAN TEACHES PILOTS

Colonel Jouett, another retired American army officer, however, is in charge of the Chinese air school at Hangchow, near Shanghai. Exports declare he is turning out pilots unsurpassed in the Far East. Even as this was being written, as if to prove China's air-mindedness, a bright red biplane was (Continued on Next Column.)



"I am afraid Mary isn't going to be very popular this summer if you do this to her tennis court."

## The Very Idea!

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KOWLOON

THE Editor was telling us the other day that we'd be surprised at the number of letters which find their way to his desk but never get much further.

He's off duty to-day, suffering from a sprained wrist through excessive overwork in throwing useless missives into the waste-paper basket. However, I've managed to get a peep into the aforesaid W.P.B. and have rescued therefrom the following epistles:

Sir,—May I request the hospitality of your columns for the enclosed notice to the members of my Association? In passing, I should mention that my Committee, after careful consideration, have concluded that their assumption as to the reason for erecting these stones can be the only correct one as they cannot think of any valid reason for their preparation other than the intention of a benevolent Government to do the greatest good to the greatest number.

Yours etc.,

T. of T.

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The Powers that Be having erected Kingstones on the Castle Peak and Tai Po Roads for the Convenience of Members of the Canine Community in general, the Standing Committee have arranged a Christening Ceremony details of which will be made known later.

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## TERROR OF TAIPO

(Chairman)

## Kingstones

May 23, 1934.

Dear Sir,—We have it on the very best authority—that of a member of the Execution Council—that the stones recently erected have been set up as a public memorial for those trees recently and ruthlessly cut off during the Great Slaughter. We sincerely trust that the Canine World will indicate, in the usual manner, its hearty appreciation of the sympathy thus shown for the destruction of its rendezvous. May we congratulate the Government on its artistic taste? In material, shape, and size, the Kingstones are ideal.

Yours etc.,

N.T.WONG,

N.K. CHOW,

O.K. PEKE.

## LESE MAJESTIE.

Dear Sir,—I sure, you know how I am longtime film liker at the Queen's Theatre and though to-day I go still there is thing always I admire more. When the lights go bright and the everybody no move and the hand play the flow you call it? Then the picture come on, the same face of the king. I want to pictures to see king all same age. He never grow old I think which is not right, or the Queen's put him on false pretences which is very bad.—From Chuen Gum.

Dear Reader—We are saving your letter to show the Queen's successors but we do not think that the present owner of famous antique representation of King will care to be involved in further expense at this point. After all, if His Majesty has stood it for 20 years, what's a few months between you and him?—GEORGE.

power-diving, looping, rolling, and tall-spinning above the river shipping just outside my window.

It was the Italian Commander Mario de Barnardi showing off one of his Capronis which the Chinese had bought.

Until now, China has been depending too much upon the peace agencies. Henceforward, to the best of her ability, she plans to do for herself. To do this, she may have to retreat still further before foreign aggression. For she needs considerable time.

But at the expense of much lost territory, perhaps, and by concentrating on a smaller nucleus, she bids fair, in the end, to give some of her foes a rude awakening.



## WAR DEBTS SCHEME

### COL. WEDGWOOD'S PROPOSAL

### NOT FAVOURABLY VIEWED

London, May 30.

War debts payments by means of commodity deals have been considered by the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the suggestion of a Labour M.P.

Colonel Wedgwood caused mystification in the House of Commons last night when he asked Mr. Neville Chamberlain whether he had considered his proposal for paying the American debt.

Members of the House were not aware that Colonel Wedgwood had advanced any scheme, and the Chancellor's reply did not enlighten them as to the details.

Mr. Chamberlain replied that he had considered the proposal, but the disadvantages outweighed the advantages.

### THE WEDGWOOD SCHEME.

Colonel Wedgwood afterwards informed Reuter that his proposal was that Britain should pay by joining the United States Government in purchasing surplus American wheat or cotton and supplying them to China or to India, accepting payments in long-term bonds of nominal price, at one and a half per cent. interest, secured on the Customs.

In order to enable Britain to pay, America should give special facilities to goods supplied by the British Empire, which the Americans needed, particularly rubber manufactured articles.

### JOINT INTEREST.

Thus, said Colonel Wedgwood, there would be a joint Anglo-American interest in controlling surplus raw materials and a joint interest in controlling trade dealings in China.—*Reuter.*

Questioned on the policy of the Government in relation to the debt payment due to the United States on 15th June, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Chamberlain, said he was not yet in a position to make a statement on the subject, but hoped to do so shortly.—*British Wireless.*

## NEW STAMPS FOR BRITAIN

### ISSUE TO BE MADE IN AUGUST

London, May 29.

Next August, Britain will have a new issue of postage stamps, beginning with the penny and three-halfpenny stamps, the remaining denominations being made available at intervals of a few weeks.

This announcement was made by the Postmaster General, Sir Kingsley Wood, at Cambridge today. He said the new stamps would have minor changes in design, and the colours would be richer. They were being printed by photographic process by Messrs. Harrison, of London.

England was the first country to issue adhesive stamps, and Post Offices throughout Britain now sell about 20 million daily. During last year, British Post Offices received, sorted and delivered one hundred million more letters than in the previous year.—*British Wireless.*

## SHIP FIRED ON

### MANCHUKUO WILL LODGE PROTEST

Harbin, May 29.

Soviet troops are again reported to have fired on a Manchukuo steamer.

The incident allegedly occurred at 8.30 o'clock yesterday morning when Red Guards fired a fusillade at the steamer Yang Fu, which was towing two barges, while she was approaching Taiheio, on the Amur River.

No casualties have been reported. The Manchukuo Government is lodging a vigorous protest.—*Reuter.*

## DEATH.

REMEDIOS.—Aurea Angela dos Remedios, age 10 years, daughter of Mr. J. C. dos Remedios, died at her residence, No. 4, Salisbury Avenue, Kowloon, at 1.45 p.m. yesterday. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day. (Macao, Singapore and Shanghai papers please copy).

## CRICKET IN VARSITIES

(Continued from Page 8.)

first knock. He has played for Derbyshire, halls from the Leys and Trinity, and is also a third year man. Another man who got a trial was H. P. Nelson, of St. George's, Harpenden and Calus, who is an early batsman. He also took 5 wickets for 27 in the Freshers' Match last year, but it was his first game for the Varsity against Yorkshire. He only got four however, and looking at Yorkshire's score he evidently did not come off as a bowler.

The only two other Seniors who are likely to come much into the picture—so far as one can see—are H. P. Dinwiddie (Radley and Pembroke) and C. W. Parker (Crypt and Selwyn). Both are second year men and neither were tried last year, but Dinwiddie was given a place against the Australians this year. He did not come off.

### THE FRESHERS.

It is, however, among the first year men that Human will probably find three or four members of his side. T. Bartlett, who made a double century for Dulwich vs. Millhill in an incredibly short time last year, seems to have played himself into the side already, as he got 55 against Yorkshire and a century against Glamorgan the other day.

D. Rought-Rought is the third of the brothers who play for Norfolk. His brother played last for Cambridge in the 1932 match. He is, I believe, a fairly quick bowler, and it is this type that is wanted. J. H. Cameron, of Taunton School, had a prodigious reputation in 1932 when he took all ten wickets of Lord's Schools for forty-nine runs. But down in Devonshire last year they told me that he had gone right off—and was not even top of his own school bowling averages! He may, of course, stage a comeback, but I don't fancy these early school prodigies. A. G. W. Haddingham is a case in point. He failed to retain his Blue last summer and I do not fancy he will get in this year.

N. S. Hotchkiss, of Eton, was rather fancied to succeed A. S. Lawrence as the opening partner of A. W. Allen, but so far as I have the names, Human has been trying Skinner in that place. J. R. Garnett of Charterhouse is another possibility, and I think that is about as far as one need go with the batting at present.

For bowlers, besides Rought-Rought, J. Turnbull, the Eton fast bowler, is up, and may be tried, and G. K. N. Trevellick, of Marlborough, took 43 wickets for 19 runs against his school last summer. J. M. Brocklebank, who bowls medium leg-spinners, had a slightly better analysis than Turnbull for Eton. But until some more detailed scores come along it would be idle to speculate further.

The one thing pretty certain is that no one is standing out a head and shoulders above anyone else in the bowling line and one is rather afraid that J. J. Khan's bowling may be feeling the effects of the runs which, not infrequently, he is getting.

## COLLECTIVE WAR ON AGGRESSORS

(Continued from Page 1.)

in arms and munitions, and to take steps to protect any State which was the victim of aggression.

The United States delegate, Mr. Norman Davis, said his Government's policy would be directed towards disarmament in all branches and not towards either an arms race or re-armament.

In naval armaments, although America has felt it necessary to build up to approximately treaty limits, largely in replacement ships, she was none the less willing to join other interested powers in a substantial proportionate reduction in naval tonnage.

Mr. Norman Davis said that no nation could wish to take the responsibility for the failure of the Disarmament Conference or to face the consequences of such a failure.

### BACK TO BRITISH PLAN.

He thought it best to go back to the decision of July 8th, 1933, when the British draft convention had been accepted by all nations, including Germany, as the basis of the future convention.

If Germany desired a disarmament convention, which surely must be the case, he could not easily believe that she would not be willing to resume negotiations on the basis to which she had previously agreed.

Mr. Litvinoff (Russia) proposed the transformation of the Conference into a "Permanent and Assembling Conference of Peace" to work out and perfect security measures. The Conference adjourned until to-morrow.—*British Wireless.*

The Far Eastern Investments and Securities Trading Co. have received the following information from their Shanghai agents:—Tanah Merah declined to accept dividend for year ending March, 1934. Not profit \$112,000, with average sale price about 34d. per pound. Export large rise. Market generally firm. Kolantans, 34 cash; Tanah Merahs, 170 June.

## GUNBOAT RAID BY NORWEGIANS

### BRITISH BOATS' COMPLAINTS

### DIPLOMATIC ACTION

London, May 29.

Three complaints have been received by the British Government that British fishing vessels have recently been interfered with by the Norwegian authorities outside the limit-line agreed to last November by the Norwegian and British Governments.

Sir Charles Wingfield, the British Minister at Oslo, has been instructed to bring these three cases to the notice of the Norwegian Government, and, if the facts prove to be in accordance with the information received, to enter a strong protest and to press for satisfaction and assurances that cases of this kind shall not recur.

Two of these incidents are said to have occurred on April 22 off Tannafjord, outside the limit-line. It is stated that several trawlers were fishing at night when a Norwegian gunboat, without lights, crossed among them, hampering their fishing operations.

### HEAVY FINE.

Without asking permission, an officer from the gunboat boarded the trawlers "Bernard Shaw" and "Balthazar." The skipper of the "Balthazar" was accused of having destroyed Norwegian fishing lines and was informed that he must pay 400 kroner, an amount which was later extracted from him as a fine by the police when he passed through Honningsvåg.

A week later, the trawler "Orsino" was also boarded, without excuse or explanation, although the skipper declares on oath that the Boarding Officer admitted the vessel was well outside territorial waters.

### SOURCE OF DISPUTE.

Negotiations which proved inconclusive took place in London in 1925 between the British and Norwegian Governments on the limits of territorial waters.

Last November, however, an understanding was reached between them confirming the previous practice by which British trawlers were assured of freedom from molestation in certain waters. Until these recent incidents it had been hoped that this understanding would be respected and prevent trouble in practice pending a definite settlement.—*British Wireless.*

## AFRICAN PROTECTORATES

### THE UNION TRANSFER QUESTION

London, May 29.

In the House of Commons, the Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, said he had received a personal letter from General Hertzog submitting certain reasons for asking that the question of the transfer to the Union of South Africa of various native Protectorates adjoining the Union might be further considered.

Mr. Thomas added, in reply to a further question, that no communication had been received from the Protectorates themselves with regard to this matter.—*British Wireless.*

## EXCHANGE RATES

	May 25.	May 29.
Paris	77.6/32	77.3/32
Geneva	15.64 1/2	15.64
Berlin	12.95	12.99 1/2
Hamburg	22.6 1/2	22.6 1/2
Oslo	19.00 1/2	19.00 1/2
Algeria	5.30	5.30
Milan	59 1/2	59 1/2
Buenos Aires	36 1/2	36 1/2
Shanghai	1/3 1/2	1/3 1/2
New York	5.08 1/2	5.08 1/2
Amsterdam	7.50 1/2	7.50 1/2
Vienna	28	28
Prague	122 1/2	122 1/2
Madrid	37.3/16	37 1/4
Bucharest	510	510
Hongkong	1/4 1/2	1/4 1/2
Brussels	21.70	21.74 1/2
Stockholm	17.40	19.40
Copenhagen	22.39 1/2	22.39 1/2
Lisbon	110	110
Bombay	1/6.1/32	1/6.1/32
Rio	4 1/2	4 1/2
Yokohama	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
Manila	38 1/2	38 1/2
Belgrade	22 1/2	22 1/2
Montreal	5.06 1/2	5.06 1/2
Silver (spot)	19 1/2	19.9/16
Silver (forward)	19 1/2	19 1/2
War Loan	102 1/2	102 1/2

Fines totalling \$550, or four months' hard labour, were imposed by Mr. Hamilton, this morning, on Lau Po, unemployed, on three charges of writing *pro pu* lottery tickets at No. 1 Sai Yuen Lane, possession of 700 tickets and keeping a gambling house. Defendant had a previous conviction for the same offence.

## CINEMA SCREENINGS

### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

The roar of the earthquake which shook California this spring was recorded by sound engineers working on "The Girl in 410", romantic drama featuring James Dunn and Gloria Stuart, which comes on Friday to the King's Theatre. It is the first time that such a sound has been recorded either electrically or mechanically, and the Paramount studios have turned the sound over to scientists for use in study. Dunn, Miss Stuart, David Manners and Jack La Rue, cast in "The Girl in 410", were making one of the early scenes in the picture when the first shock of the earthquake was felt. The picture, realised immediately what was happening. His first impulse was to turn off his apparatus and flee, but a moment later, his brain triumphing over his instincts, he swung his dial to increase amplification. Hayman remained in position within his soundproof booth, ear-phones glued to his head, his fingers carefully manipulating the dials, for the duration of the quake. The result, directors, players and technicians agreed, was one of the most dramatic series of sound effects played over the amplification system. The scene is in progress on the sound track. The voices of the players are heard as they calmly speak their lines. There comes a sudden deep and foreboding rumbling, a scream, shouts of "Earthquake!" More shouts and screams, the clatter of running feet, and then the awful full roar of the earth, the rattling of the stage itself, and the crash of falling equipment. Dunn, Miss Stuart and the other players remained as calm as was possible under the conditions, but work on the picture was not resumed until after the stage had been put back into condition. "The Girl in 410" is set in a police emergency hospital, where a mysterious accident has brought in a doctor who saves her life.

### "Headline Shooter"

What do newspaper cameramen do when there is nothing exciting to photograph? Beauty contest and flagpole sitters seen in the newsreels on the theatre screen of the world are revealing and humorous answer is given in "Headline Shooter", Hollywood's cinematic peek behind the newsreel camera dramatising a news-hawk's vivid career, at the Central Theatre to-morrow, with William Garigan as the hero opposite Frances Gargan. Gargan portrays an ace news photographer who contrives his own news if news occurrences are lacking. He stages a beauty contest to select "Miss Kalamazoo." He inveigles a publicity seeker into balancing her on a high wire. He stages a human target for a noted marksman. He instigates flagpole sitting and peeing contests, and human fly exhibitions. Gargan's pictures are either his of newsworthy resource. In "Headline Shooter" he arrives at an earthquake after a thrilling rescue from a crumbling building has been performed. Blithely he gathers the participants to around the ruins while his camera catches this. The RKO Radio Picture also features the thrilling exploits of newspaper reports, exemplified by Miss Dea as a sob sister. With Gargan she finds danger and love at fires, floods, earthquakes, gang wars, conferences and other occurrences. Otto Brower directed "Headline Shooter" whose supporting cast includes Ralph Bellamy, Wallace Ford, Jack La Rue, and many others.

### "Ever Since Eve"

Mary Brian holds the undisputed title of the most popular girl in Hollywood. No one has ever said an unkind word about Mary, or Mary about any one, for almost a quarter of a century. The little girl from Texarkana, Texas, 24 last February, never a star although she has outlasted dozens of them, insists she never has promised to marry anyone. Buddy Rogers, Russell Gleason, Dick Powell, Jack Oakie, Donald Cook and many others have been reported eager to pair up for life with Mary. It may be that she hasn't found time. Eight years ago she and her widowed mother arrived in Hollywood from Texas, nearly starved, and they got going when Mary was taken from a downtown theatre prologue for the role of Wendy in "Peter Pan". Free-lancing for the last few years she has had almost no idle moments, going straight from one picture into another. Her first movie playing her first role for Fox Film was "The Four Feathers", which also presents George O'Brien, Herbert Mundin and Betty Blythe. It is the current screen play at the King's Theatre.

### "This Side of Heaven"

Proof that ultra-modernistic sets are not always necessary adjuncts to the success of a motion picture has been emphasized by Director William K. Howard in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production, "This Side of Heaven", which opens to-day at the King's Theatre. A decided contrast from his most recent directorial achievements, Howard chose to tackle what ordinarily appear as uneventful, everyday incidents in the normal life of an average family and weave them into a tense drama involving every member of the family. For this, Director Howard has utilized settings that are seen on every hand in almost every phase of normal modern life. Lionel Barrymore, as an auditor who is innocently involved in an embezzlement that may send him to prison, experiences the greatest tragedy in his life in an average business office. Mae Clarke, as a school teacher loved by two men, meets the climax of her life in the modest classroom filled with her pupils. Mary Carlisle, during a madcap elopement, is brought face to face with the most dominant climax of her young years while waiting to be married to Henry Wadsworth in

## RADIO BROADCAST

### TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

### DANCE MUSIC FROM THE STUDIO

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilo-cycles): 4.30-7.30 p.m. Chinese Programme. 6-6.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert. 7.30-10.30 p.m. European Programmes. 7.30-8 p.m. Variety. Vocal—Whistling in the Dark. The Vienne Seven Singing Sisters. Organ Solo—My Song Goes Round the World. Frederic Bayce. Organ Solo—By a Waterfall.

Song—Son O' Mine (from "Freelancer Songs"). Song—The Rebel (from "Freelancer Songs"). Pianoforte Duets—Footlight Parade—Selection. Pianoforte Duet—The Way to Love—Selection. Vocal Duet—What's Good for the Goose is Good for the Gander. Vocal Duet—Gee, Oh Gosh, I'm Grateful. Sam Browns and His Girl Friend. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report. 8.03-8.28 p.m. Orchestral Music. Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1 in F. (Liszt-Dopplari). The London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates. 1st Movement—Allegro Maestoso. 2nd Movement—Quasi Adagio. 3rd Movement—Allegro Vivace. 4th Movement—Allegro Maestoso. 8.45-9.15 p.m. From the Studio. "Topical Talks on the United Kingdom" by Mr. G. C. Pelham, (H. M. Trade Commissioner). 9.15-9.30 p.m. Selections by the J. M. Squire Celeste Orchestre. Putting the Clock Back (Famous Folk Songs of Britain) (arr. Squire). My Sweetheart When a Boy (Morgan, arr. Willoughby). Silver Threads Among the Gold (Danke, arr. Willoughby). 9.30-10.30 p.m. From the Studio. Dance Music by Professor N. A. Tonoff and His Jazz Orchestra.

### Programme.

"Going Hollywood." 1. Temptation. 2. Our Big Love Scene. 3. At Sundown. 4. We'll Make Hay While the Sun Shines. "Gold Diggers of 1933." 5. Shadow Waltz. 6. Footlight Parade. 7. Honeycomb Hotel. 8. By a Waterfall. 9. Sitting on a Backyard Fence. "I Am Suzanne." 10. St. Moritz Waltz. "Roman Scandals." 11. Build a Little Home. 12. Keep Young and Beautiful. 13. Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf? 10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News. 10.35 p.m. Close Down.

## WATER LEVELS.

### FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for the Kwangtung Province notifies that the height of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows:

	May 28.	May 29.
West River at Shikling	8.0	7.0
North River at Tsing-yuen	7.4	7.8
North River at Samshui	3.8	3.3
East River at Shikling	1.3	0.8

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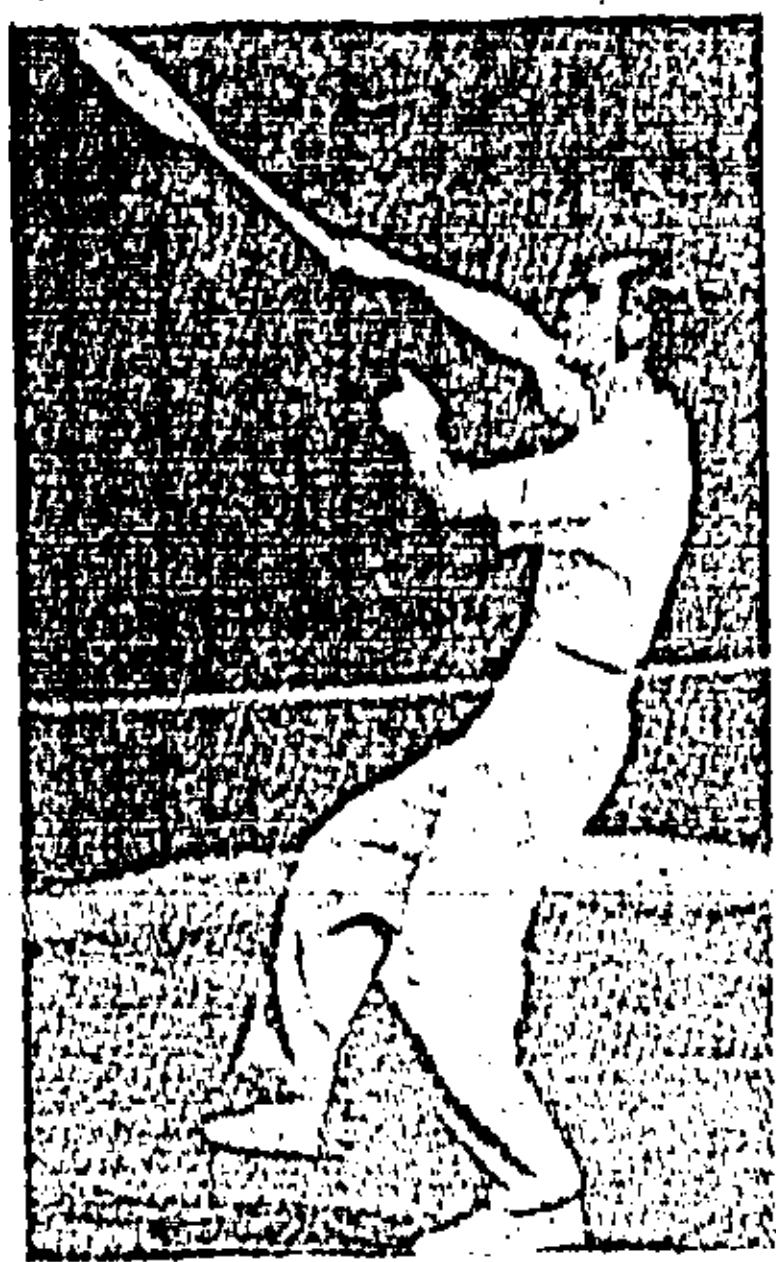
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# PERRY BEATEN, THEN COLLAPSES IN DEAD FAINT



BARON DE STEFANI.

## DRAMATIC SEQUEL TO SPRAINED ANKLE

### CONTINUES AGAINST STEFANI IN SPITE OF PAIN

AUSTIN BEATEN BY BOUSSUS, AND  
HUGHES BY CRAWFORD

#### FRENCH TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Paris, May 29.

A highly dramatic scene, similar to that which occurred in the historic Davis Cup match between Ellsworth Vines and Fred Perry at Stade Roland Garros last year, was enacted on the courts at Auteuil to-day, when Perry, limping heavily from a sprained ankle, walked up to Baron de Stefani, the Italian ace, congratulated him on his victory, and then fell down in a dead faint.

Perry fighting against intense physical pain, and an opponent on the top of his form, became the third Englishman of the day to lose in the quarter-finals of the French championship. His defeat by Stefani was accomplished in four sets.

Describing the incident, *Reuter* says that at the conclusion of the match, Perry walked up to shake hands with Stefani, then dropped in a dead faint, probably suffering from the effects of a sprained right ankle which he sustained in the third game of the fourth set. At this vital stage of the match, Perry slipped, and rolled over on his back crying out in pain.

But he refused to stop and pluckily continued, with his face drawn and pale from the pain every movement caused him.

**FRENCH STOCK RISES.** French stock rose with a bound during the day when Christian Bousus, successor to Henri Cochet, took the measure of "Bunny" Austin, the Englishman, and beat him in five sets.

After winning the opening stanza, Austin was fighting desperately for points for the remainder of the match. He conceded the second and third sets after winning four games and in the fifth only captured a single

#### U.S. DAVIS CUP TEAM FOR ENGLAND.

##### L. T. A. NOMINATES FIVE PLAYERS.

New York, May 30.

The United States Lawn Tennis Association has named the players to go to England to represent America in the Davis Cup. There are no surprises, the selections being:

Lester Stiefen, Frank Shields, Sydney Wood, George Lott and J. Van Ryn.—*Reuter*.

The Frenchman was clearly the better player.

The third Englishman to "take the count" was G. P. Hughes, who not unexpectedly fell a victim to Jack Crawford. The match was over in four sets, Hughes doing well to annex the first. There-

after the Australian called the tune and won at will.

Menzel, the Czechoslovakian, had a five set tussle with Von Cramm, leading German player, and staged a great recovery after being two sets down. He trailed the first set at 6-2, and the second at 6-3, then returned to give a dazzling display of forcing tennis.

The effort cost him dearly, however, and Van Cramm, gathering all his resources in the fifth set, went out to win in the ninth game.

The following have thus qualified for the semi-finals: J. Crawford (Australia), C. Bousus (France), Von Cramm (Germany) and de Stefani (Italy).

#### FRIGHT FOR MISS JACOBS.

Three of the last four positions in the ladies' singles were filled. Miss Margaret Scriven, holder of the title, won easily, as expected, against Miss Nancy Lyle, another English competitor, and Madame Mathieu the French representative had little difficulty in disposing of Sign. Valerio of Italy, two sets to nothing.

Miss Helen Jacobs was concerned in a tremendous struggle with Mlle. Payot, the Swiss player, and finally only won in the fourteenth game of the third set.

Miss Jacobs won the first set to three, but Mlle. Payot fought back with rare skill in the second, which she annexed with the loss of one game.

A titanic struggle ensued in the final set, Miss Jacobs finally clinching the issue.

Miss Kathleen Stammers has still to play for Aussem for the last vacancy in the semi-finals.

Full scores as cabled by *Reuter* follow.

#### MEN'S SINGLES.

##### Quarter-finals.

J. Crawford (Australia) beat G. P. Hughes (England) 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 6-3.

C. Bousus (France) beat H. W. Austin (England) 5-7, 6-2, 6-2, 2-6, 6-1.

Von Cramm (Germany) beat R. Menzel (Czechoslovakia) 6-2, 6-3, 3-6, 3-6, 6-3.

de Stefani (Italy) beat F. J.



R. MENZEL.

Perry (England) 6-2, 1-6, 9-7, 6-2.

#### LADIES' SINGLES.

Miss M. Scriven (England) beat Miss N. Lyle (England) 6-1, 6-1.

Madame Mathieu (France) beat Sign. Valerio (Italy) 6-3, 6-2.

Miss Helen Jacobs (America) beat Mlle. Payot (Switzerland) 6-3, 1-6, 8-6.

## CRICKET IN VARSITIES

### CAMBRIDGE ENJOY ASSISTANCE OF SEVERAL OLD BLUES

#### STRONG IN BATTING BUT LITTLE SHORT IN ATTACK

(By R. Abbit)

The Cambridge side this year will be captained by J. H. Human (Repton and Clare), who is a definite personality in the game. The younger brother of a Blue, R. C. H. Human, of Repton and Emmanuel, he gained his Blue as a Freshman in 1932, and in that year and the next headed the Cambridge averages. Since last summer he has been on tour with the All-England side in India, and, provided this does not make him go stale, the experience should be of the greatest value to him.

Of last year's eleven he has four old hands beside himself, R. de W. K. Win. law, (Winchester and St. John's), A. W. Allen (Eton and Magdalen), J. G. W. Davies (Tonbridge and St. John's), and M. Jehangir Khan (Al. India and ?). I regret I am unaware of Jehangir Khan's college, but he never played in the Freshers' Match, the usual reference, and my wisdom has not yet arrived!

The first four are excellent batsmen, and I will confess to a Davies, a slow spin bowler. I was sorry to see that the latter bowled Bradman for a duck. That sort of thing usually means that the particular bowler never gets a wicket for the rest of the season.

Jehangir Khan is a really good medium-paced length bowler, who can go on all day. He also had a batting average of twenty for a similar number of innings. Five Blues form a good nucleus, but it will be very hard to place the place of E. Farnes, the fast bowler, who was a tower of strength behind the sticks, and the experience of the last captain, D. R. Wilcox will be much missed.

#### THIRD RECORD TO DATE.

The Cambridge eleven started off with their two strongest opponents. The first match was against Yorkshire, and they did well enough to make 245. However, Sutcliffe and his new partner Barber elected to put up a stand of two hundred odd for the first wicket, and the bowling was collared, and 405 was scored. Again, Cambridge did pretty well to save the innings defeat with a score of 200. The defeat was by ten wickets.

The next match was against the Australians. It was lost, by an innings and 103 runs; the Varsity scoring 158 and 160 against a score of 481 for five wickets. In the second innings a player called G. made 51, not out. I fancy it must be the third year man H. R. Cox of Uppingham and Magdalen. If not, he must be a fresher.

The moment however that they turned to weaker opponents Cambridge showed their worth. They beat Northants comfortably by 168 runs, and then took tea with Glamorgan, making 513 for five wickets and winning by ten wickets. A. W. Allen got 142, H. T. Bartlett (of Dulwich) 128, and J. H. Human 102.

Both these Counties are, of course, weak, but no one can suggest that about Notts. The Varsity drew comfortably, scoring 245 and 210 for 7 wickets declared, while Notts made 223 for nine, declared, (this suggests a crumbling wicket) and 105 for two. This is an excellent performance, but it is no better, if no good, as that of Oxford who drew with both Yorkshire and Lancashire. It seems rather that Cambridge lack an outstanding bowler as no one has yet taken five wickets in any innings. On the other hand, I fancy their batting is a shade stronger than that of Oxford. If they can field as the 1933 team did at Lord's, they should do well.

**NEW COMERS.** It seems probable that A. G. Powell (Charterhouse and Magdalen) will succeed Comber behind the sticks, though he failed to run Pontford out rather badly. He has had a certain amount of experience for Essex, play-

ed once for Cambridge in 1933 and is in his third year. Of the Seniors, A. F. Skinner has been tried this year and made 29 against Yorkshire in the (Continued on Page 7.)

## LAWN BOWLS TEAMS

### K.B.C.C. AND H.K. FOOTBALL CLUB

The following will represent the Hongkong Football Club in their league bowls match against Craigengower at the H.K.F.C.C. on Saturday.

R. P. Shaw, G. S. Graver, A. Brookbank and J. Russell (skip); J. Hinkson, R. A. Teague, E. S. Carter and J. Gregory (skip).

E. Strange, A. Steven, C. B. Robertson and F. H. W. Haynes (Skip).

#### K.B.C.C. TEAMS.

The following will represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in their league matches on Saturday.

First Team versus Craigengower Cricket Club "B" at Bowling Green Club, Kowloon.

P. T. Farrell, J. S. Logan, R. Hall, W. Macfarlane (Skip).

J. Duncan, S. Randle, V. Petherick, W. Macfarlane (Skip).

J. Watson, A. S. Russell, J. H. Budding, L. Guy (Skip).

Second Team versus R.I.K. Yacht Club at North Point.

H. E. Stoneham, C. B. Hosking, W. E. Hale, H. H. Rogers (Skip).

G. J. Chambers, J. Macdonald, M. J. Henderson, J. G. Meyer (Skip).

C. L. Farmer, P. D. O'Connell, C. L. Chalton, G. E. F. Thompson (Skip).

## BILLIARDS MATCH AT K.C.C.

### Rakusen's Side Has Narrow Win

Another of the billiards matches which are becoming so popular at the Kowloon Cricket Club was played last night, when M. N. Rakusen's side just defeated W. Mulcahy's team by eight points.

It was thanks to Rakusen that his side won, as all of the other players were down. Rakusen, however, had a credit of 155 points.

The scores were: M. N. Rakusen 250 points to 94; W. C. Simpson 190 to 228; F. Broadbridge 102 to 225; S. A. Gray 108 to 218; C. I. Stapleton 185 to 242.

W. Mulcahy 213 to 140; C. Wigg 214 to 186; P. O. Dunno 180 to 245; D. S. Green 200 to 220; Geo. Lee 200 to 224.

## KENT SCORE 472 BUT LOSE BY ONE RUN

### LATEST PERFORMANCES IN COUNTY CRICKET

#### HOBBS HAS FINE MATCH AGAINST LANCASHIRE

#### SEVERAL MATCHES LEFT DRAWN

London, May 29.

Sussex, by virtue of the sound beating they gave Northants to-day, remain at the top of the county cricket championship table, and with Kent, Derby and Worcester, their nearest rivals, all dropping points, considerably increased their advantage.

Yorkshire also benefitted from slips by these three teams, and improved their percentage to 65 to take over second place, being ahead of Kent, who have played two more matches. Sussex improved their percentage to 79.04.

#### RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

##### COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Somerset (225 & 192) beat Gloucester (275 & 103) by 39 runs.  
Yorkshire (99 & 271) beat Derbyshire (102 & 166) by 102 runs.  
Sussex (445-5 dec.) beat Northants (243 & 141) by innings and 61 runs.  
Glamorgan (366 & 161-3 dec.) beat Leicestershire (240 & 158-2) on first innings.  
Surrey (324 & 149-3) beat Lancashire (263 & 308-5 dec.) on first innings.  
Hampshire (473) beat Kent 472 & 220-4) on first innings.  
Notts (490-5 dec.) beat Essex (262 & 185-3) on first innings.  
Warwick (209 & 340) beat Worcester (165 & 282-3) on first innings.

Only three of the eight games reached a definite result, scoring being somewhat high in the remainder. The most astonishing match was the meeting of Hampshire and Kent at Portsmouth.

The visitors, batting first, slugged the Hampshire attack to the tune of 472. The younger Kent batsmen figured prominently, Leslie Ames passing the three-figure mark, and Leslie Todd (rated as Woolley the second) did likewise.

Undismayed by such a total, Hampshire also went for the Kent attack, and in an exciting finish topped their opponents' aggregate by one run. All of the home batsmen made runs; but Moore led the field with a finely played 137.

After this there was never any hope of an outright finish, and Kent, again batting freely, played out time, compiling 220 for 4 wickets.

#### HOBBS THE GREAT.

Lancashire suffered their second defeat on first innings when they entertained Surrey at Manchester. The personality of this

#### LANGRIDGE AND TATE.

John Langridge was in fine fettle with the willow against Northants. (Continued on Page 9.)

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## SPORT ADVTs.

**THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.**  
The SIXTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 2nd June, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m.  
The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

**MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.**  
Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27704), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.  
Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.  
Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

**PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.**  
The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.  
Bookmakers, Tie Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN, Secretary.  
Hongkong, 28th May, 1934.

**THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.**  
**NOTICE.**

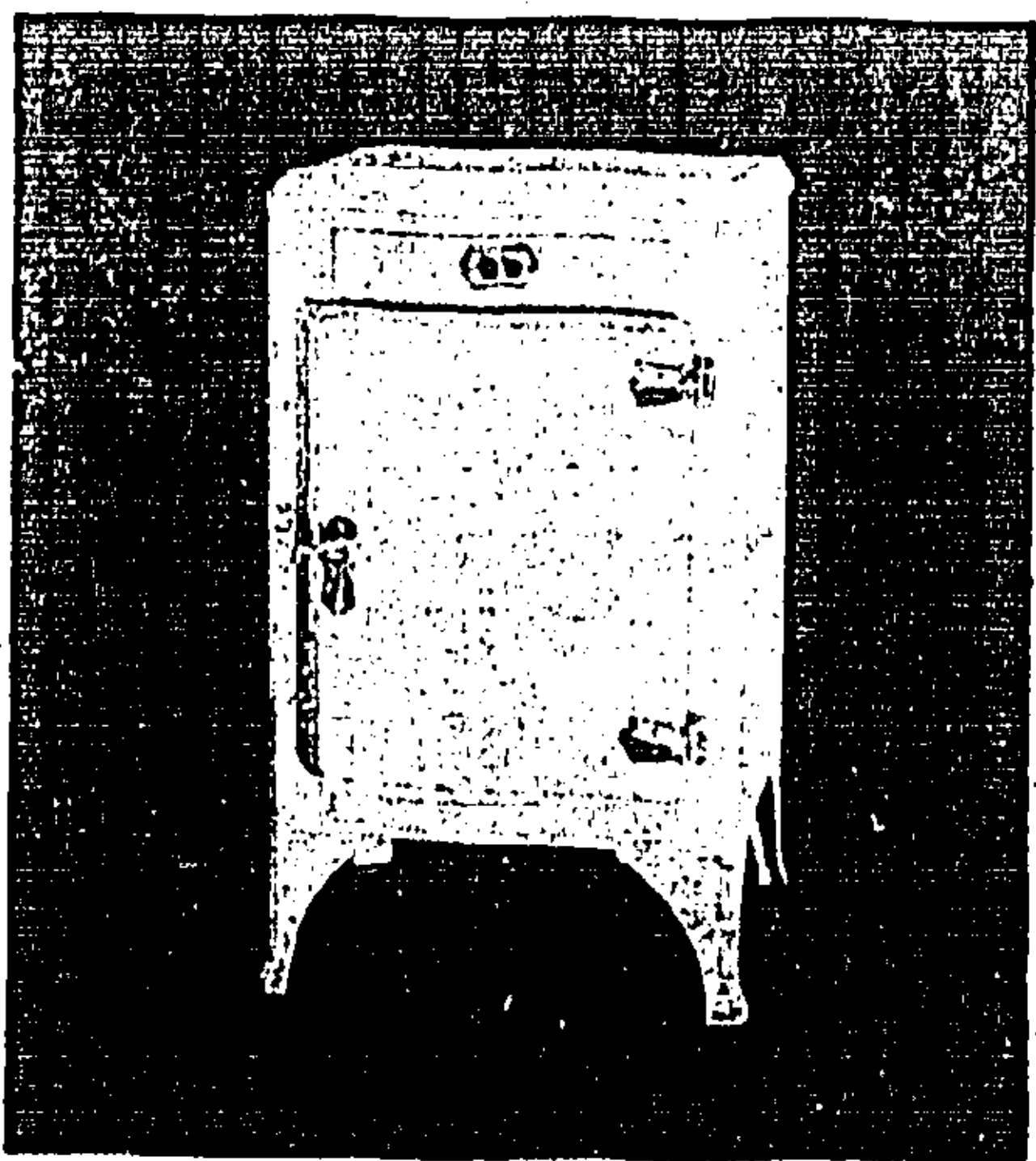
THE MAY HALF YEARLY GENERAL MEETING OF VOTING MEMBERS will be held at the Club House, Happy Valley, on Thursday, 31st May, 1934, at 5.30 p.m.  
All MEMBERS are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue.

By Order of the Stewards,  
C. B. BROWN, Secretary.  
Hongkong, 16th May, 1934.

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### CLUB COLLEAGUES IN CONFLICT

The Kowloon Cricket Club lost their first match in the "A" Division of the tennis league, when they visited Sookunpoo and were beaten by the Indian Recreation Club.

Other features of a full programme included the decisive victory of the Recreio against U.S.R.C. and the collapse of the C.R.C. (2) against their senior club colleagues.

Details of the matches, together with league table, follow.

On the home courts, the Club defeated the United Services Recreation Club by eight sets to one.

Scores:  
A. V. Remedios and J. Goncalves (Recreio) beat Capt. Cannon and Tollington 6-2; beat Field and Withington 6-0; beat Slide and Stocker 6-1.

F. J. Remedios and J. J. Remedios (Recreio) beat Capt. Cannon and Tollington 6-3; beat Field and Withington 6-2; beat Slide and Stocker 6-2.

G. A. Burdett and G. A. Noronha (Recreio) lost to Capt. Cannon and Tollington 2-6; beat Field and Withington 6-2; beat Slide and Stocker 6-2.

#### SOUTH CHINA v. CLUB.

The South China A.A. defeated the Hongkong Cricket Club by 5½ to 3½ at King's Park. Scores:

T. C. Luk and S. W. Wong (South China) drew with Sullivan and Goldman 6-6; beat Wild and Armstrong 6-2; beat Bathurst and Pote-Hunt 6-4.

D. C. Luk and W. T. Lee (South China) lost to Sullivan and Goldman 4-6; beat Wild and Armstrong 6-3; beat Bathurst and Pote-Hunt 6-1.

W. H. Ho and Chan So (South China) lost to Sullivan and Goldman 5-7; lost to Wild and Armstrong 6-7; beat Bathurst and Pote-Hunt 6-2.

#### INDIAN R.C. v. KOWLOON C.C.

Visiting Sookunpoo, the Kowloon C.C. were defeated by the Indian R.C. by 5½ sets to 3½. Scores:

H. D. Ramjahn and I. M. A. Razack (I.R.C.) lost to E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher 6-7; beat A. E. P. Guest and P. Grose 6-0; beat W. Hyde and J. Rodger 6-1.

A. R. Minu and A. H. Madar (I.R.C.) lost to Fincher and Fincher 4-6; lost to Guest and Grose 3-6; beat Hyde and Rodger 6-4.

S. A. Ramjahn and J. A. Cassambhey (I.R.C.) drew with Fincher and Fincher 6-6; beat Guest and Grose 6-4; beat Hyde and Rodger 6-4.

#### CHINESE R.C. "A" v. "B."

The Chinese R.C. "A" team easily accounted for the Chinese R.C. "B" team at Causeway Bay, winning by eight sets to one. Scores:

Tau Wai-pui and W. C. Hung (R.C. "A") drew with Ng Sze-kwong and Chu Chun-chiu 6-6; beat Ng Kam-chuen and Tam Yee-fong 6-3; beat Tu Tak-lam and Lo Man-ho 6-1.

## HEAVING TO WORLD RECORD



As this picture was snapped a 16-pound shot was hurtling through the air on its way to a world record. It was Johnny Lyman's very first try for Stanford University during the meet with University of California, and his record of 54 feet 1 inch was the highlight of Stanford's 81-50 win.

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#### THE PROGRAMME.

The programme is as follows:—

1.—Men's 200 metres team race (for team of four).

2.—Ladies' 200 metres team race (for team of four).

3.—Men's 50 metres obstacle race.

4.—Girls' 50 metres obstacle race (open only to members of South China Athletic Association who shall measure 3 feet 5 inches or under).

5.—Boys' 50 metre free style (open only to members of the South China Athletic Association who shall measure 3 feet 5 inches to 3 feet 9 inches).

6.—Ladies 100 metres free style for "Lady Southern Cup."

7.—Diving.

## KENT SCORE 472

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and played a prominent part in the decisive victory scored by Sussex. Out of the Sussex score of 445 for 5 declared, Langridge put together 232 not out. Afterwards Maurice Tate came into his own, and bowling magnificently, sent Northants back for 141, his seven victims only costing 42 runs. Yorkshire made a smart re-

#### MATCHES IN PROGRESS.

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##### OTHER MATCHES.

Surrey v Australians—Oval  
Oxford v Minor Counties—Oxford

covery and won easily against Derbyshire. It was thanks largely to Mitchell and Bowes, the two bowlers together taking 16 wickets for only 182 runs. Mitchell had successful spells in both innings and altogether captured 11 for 122.

8.—Girls' 50 metres obstacle race open to members of South China Athletic Association.

9.—Men's 200 metres breast stroke.

10.—Water Polo—European v. Chinese.

## CONTRACT BRIDGE

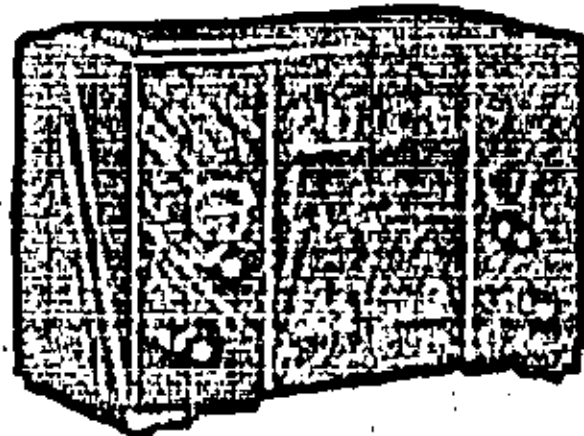
### Danenberg & Ozorio Win First Final

In the first session of the final of the Colony Contract Bridge Tournament, held in the Sports Club last evening, Messrs. Danenberg and Ozorio beat Messrs. D. Judah and M. Politi by the narrow margin of 170 points.

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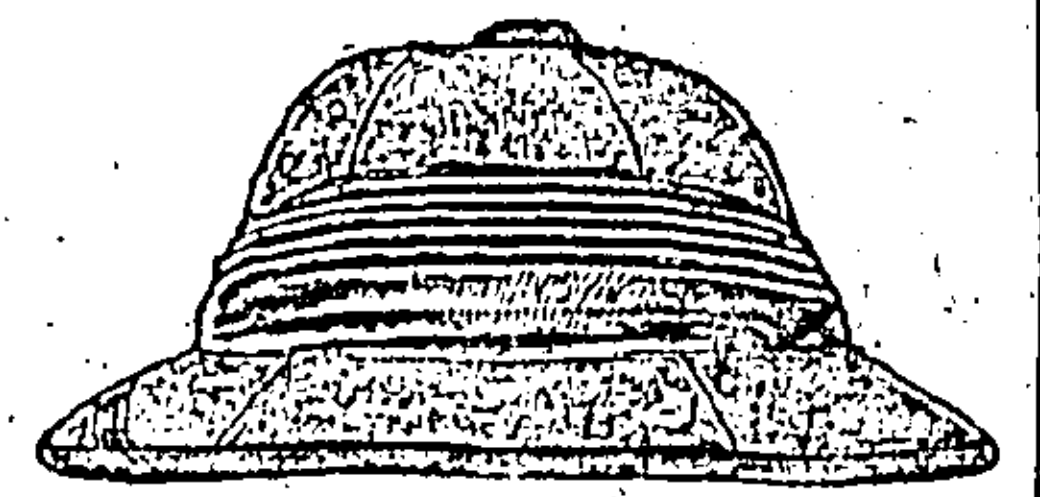
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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

Solution to Previous Contract Problem.

Just because you have an ace, it does not mean that you must necessarily win the first trick. Again let me caution you about playing to that first trick. It pays to stop and plan the hand out, regardless of what the situation is. Remember, if you once touch or call a card, it is played and you cannot take it back.

In to-day's hand, with the king of diamonds opened, it looks as though the declarer's only entry into dummy is knocked out—and it would be, if he won the first trick with the ace.

### The Bidding

South's three bid asks his partner to show his highest ace. Of

♠ 8 7 4 3	♥ 10 9 8 4 2
♦ 7	♣ 10 9 8 4 2
♠ 10 7	♥ 10 9 8 4 2
♦ 10 8 5	♣ 10 9 8 4 2
♠ 10 7	♥ 10 9 8 4 2
♦ 10 8 5	♣ 10 9 8 4 2
♠ 10 7	♥ 10 9 8 4 2
♦ 10 8 5	♣ 10 9 8 4 2

course, if North held the ace of trump, he should show that before his highest ace. Not having an ace, North's proper response would be three no trump, but he showed the ace of diamonds with his bid of four diamonds.

When South bids five diamonds, he asks his partner if he holds the king of diamonds. Without the king of diamonds, North should simply sign the hand off with five spades.

However, in this case, he can bid five hearts, as he holds the king of hearts. This information may prove valuable to South.

South, even though he did not hold the ace of hearts himself, would know that his partner was not showing the ace, because if he held the ace of diamonds and ace of hearts, the heart ace would have been bid first.

Having located the king of hearts and ace of diamonds in the North hand, South felt that his two losing diamonds could be discarded and a slam could be made, so he rightly bid it.

### The Play

West opened the king of diamonds. If we win that trick with the ace, we are not going to be able to get into dummy to use the king of hearts. Therefore, South must employ rather an unusual holdup—he must refuse to win this diamond trick.

The hand is now made. If West continues with a diamond, the declarer will win the second diamond and will be able to trump the losing diamond in dummy with the

### Today's Contract Problem

How would you bid the following hand? If South arrives at six no trump, what opening will defeat the contract? If a heart is opened, how should the hand be played to make six odd?

♠ A K 8	♥ 10 9 8 4 2
♦ 7	♣ 10 9 8 4 2
♠ 10 9 8 3	♥ 10 9 8 4 2
♦ 10 8 5	♣ 10 9 8 4 2
♠ 10 7	♥ 10 9 8 4 2
♦ 10 8 5	♣ 10 9 8 4 2
♠ 10 7	♥ 10 9 8 4 2
♦ 10 8 5	♣ 10 9 8 4 2

Solution in next issue. 20

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will pick up the trump and cash his ace of hearts.

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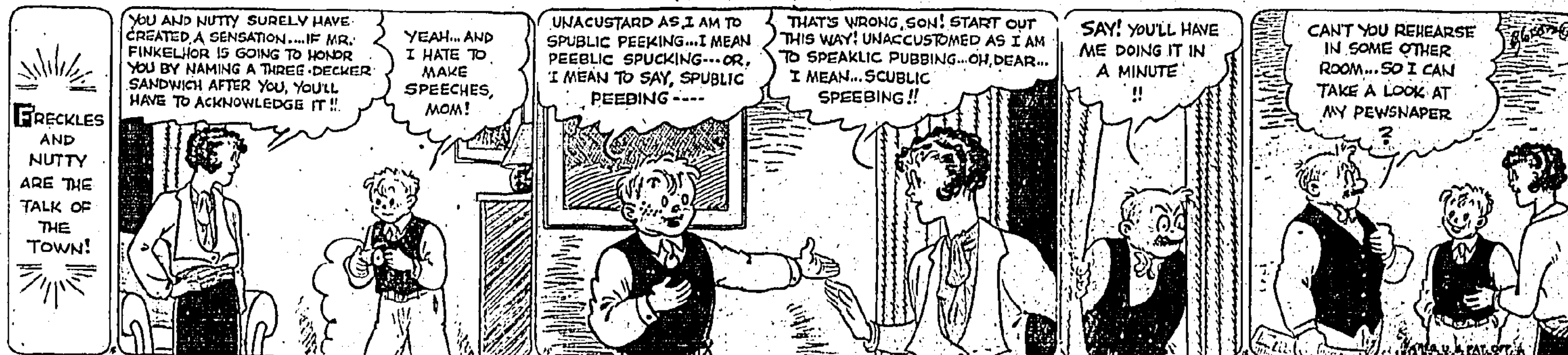
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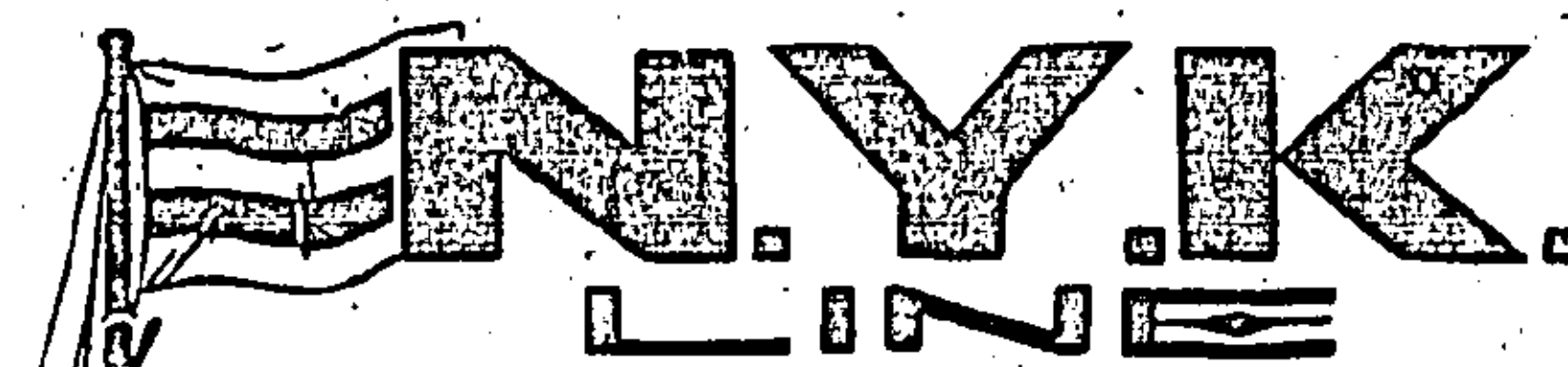
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found himself next to a young wo-  
man in ice blue satin. She had  
brown curls. For no good reason,  
she reminded him of Gypsy  
Weaver.

She flirted with him outrageously  
during intermission. He was  
properly galled, said all the right  
things. Under his mask of impen-  
sibility, he was terribly bored.

What was wrong with him, any-  
how? Last year when he'd been  
wooing Lila, he hadn't minded  
the noise and the racket. It had  
all seemed part of living. You  
went places, you did things, with  
the best people. It was all right.  
But now, suddenly, it was all  
wrong. It was deadly. But he  
was one of Marko Broughton's  
men, he was "on the make," he had  
to stay on the merry-go-round.

His head felt hot, empty, aching  
as he handed Lila out of the car  
and followed her into the entrance  
of their building. A clock some  
place, not far away, struck four.  
The city was bathed in moonlight  
now. The snow had stopped. Two  
scrubwomen, on their way to work  
down the avenue, stopped to call  
"Merry Christmas" to each other.  
Derek envied them. "Merry  
Christmas!" And they really  
meant it!

"What's wrong with you, dar-  
ling?" Lila's tone was fretful.  
She slipped out of the sleek brown  
fur and Derek caught it. "You've  
been glum as an oyster all evening.  
I'm sure everyone noticed it. The  
life of the party."

He slung his coat down and rip-  
pled open his tie. "I don't know.  
It just went dead on me."

She cocked an eyebrow at him.  
"Snap out of it, young fellow mo-  
lad. Marko likes bright faces  
about him."

Marko! Was he ever to behave  
as he wanted? Was he tied to the  
chariot of Mammon forever?  
Derek choked back some bitter  
words.

"What did you say?" Lila had  
gone into her own room now. Ho-  
sweet, fretful tones came to him  
dimly.

"Nothing, dearest. Only I'm  
sorry if I was a wet blanket."

He came to stand at her door.  
She was in pale rose satin now, her  
slim arms glimmering through en-  
cascades of creamy lace. She patted  
back a yawn.

"You yawn. Don't let it happen  
again." Her tone was ever so  
gentle, humorous, but he sensed the  
real warning behind it.

"You had a good time, anyhow."

She bridled. "Naturally. I like  
Marko's parties. They have so  
much zin to them."

"Is that what you call it?"

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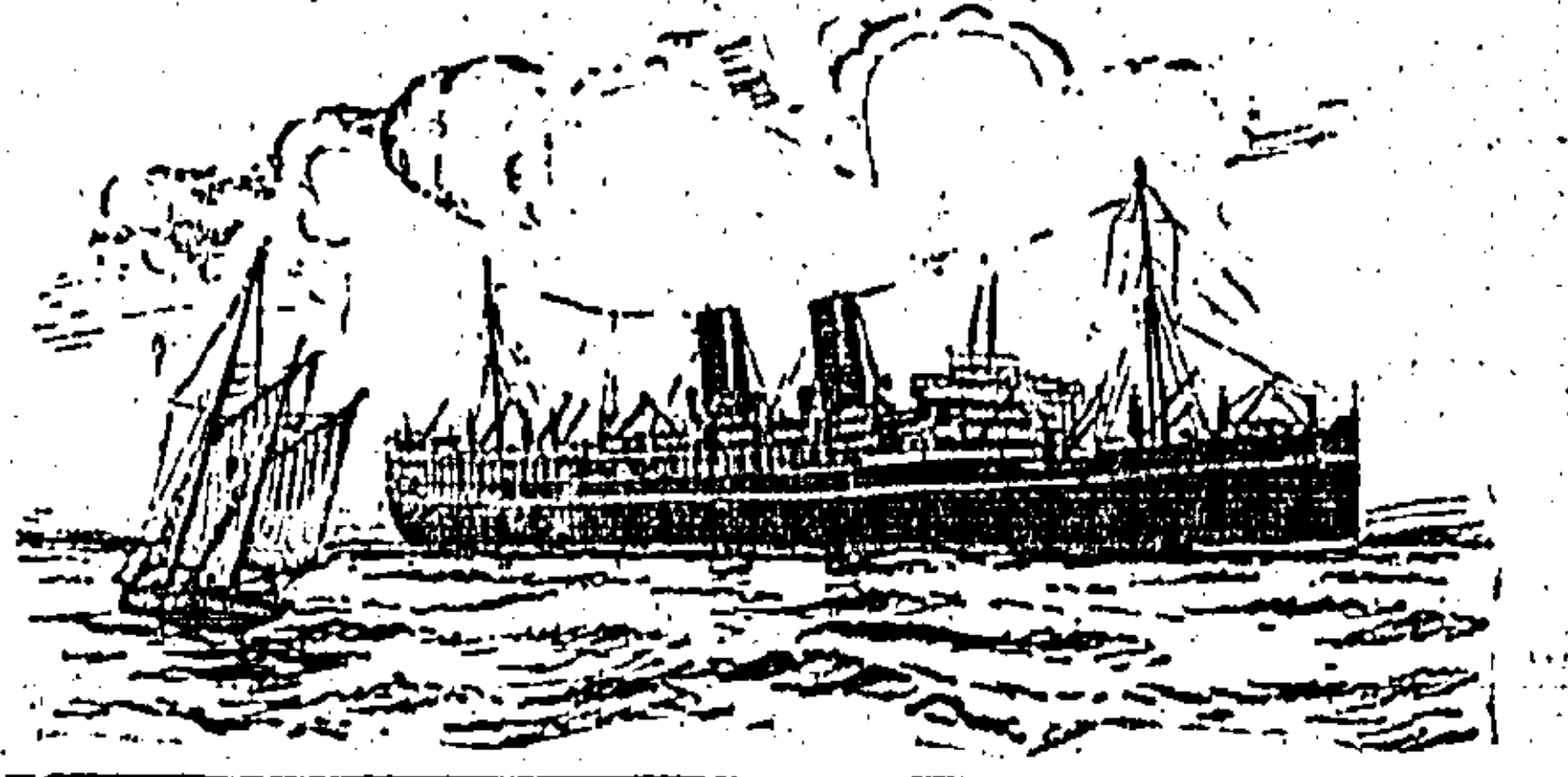
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AMENDMENT

## NEGOTIATIONS SUCCEED

(Special to "Telegraph")

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30, 5.52 a.m.)

Washington, May 29.  
Mr. Cordell Hull, the U.S.  
Secretary of State, and Senor  
Marques, the Cuban Amba-  
sador, to-day signed a new  
Treaty governing the political  
relations between the two coun-  
tries.

The Treaty results in the  
scrapping of the Platt Amend-  
ment and Cubans regard the  
Treaty as having elevated Cuba  
to the full status of a sovereign  
independent nation.

Mr. Hull, in the course of a  
statement, said the Treaty abra-  
cates the Treaty of 1903, embrac-  
ing the Platt Amendment, and  
perpetuates all acts effected in  
Cuba by the United States during  
the occupation prior to the es-  
tablishment of the Republic, in-  
cluding rights acquired under  
those acts, and continues the  
Guantanamo Naval Base.

The Treaty will be effective as  
soon as ratifications are exchanged.  
It is understood that an effort  
will be made to rush the pact  
through the Senate as soon as  
possible, and to secure ratification  
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United Press.

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These will re-start immediately.

The conversations began in  
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at Easter, experts in London and  
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BERLIN MEETING  
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Berlin, May 29.

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The British, French and  
Swedish delegates acquiesced in  
the agreement provided the scheme  
is administered impartially. The  
Swiss and Dutch withheld assent  
on the ground that the agreement  
ignores their special position.  
The Americans have not disclosed  
their attitude.—*Reuter*.

amination of questions outstand-  
ing. Meanwhile, a *modus vivendi*  
concluded on 9th May has taken  
place in respect of the commer-  
cial treaties of 1820 and 1882  
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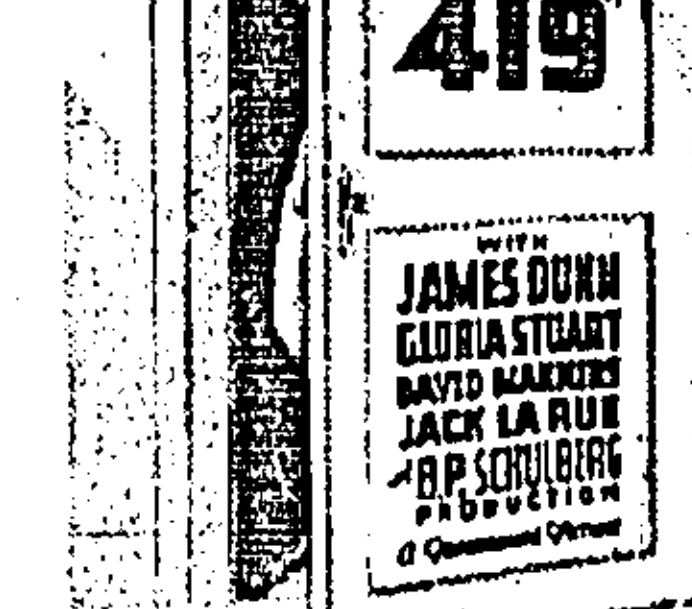
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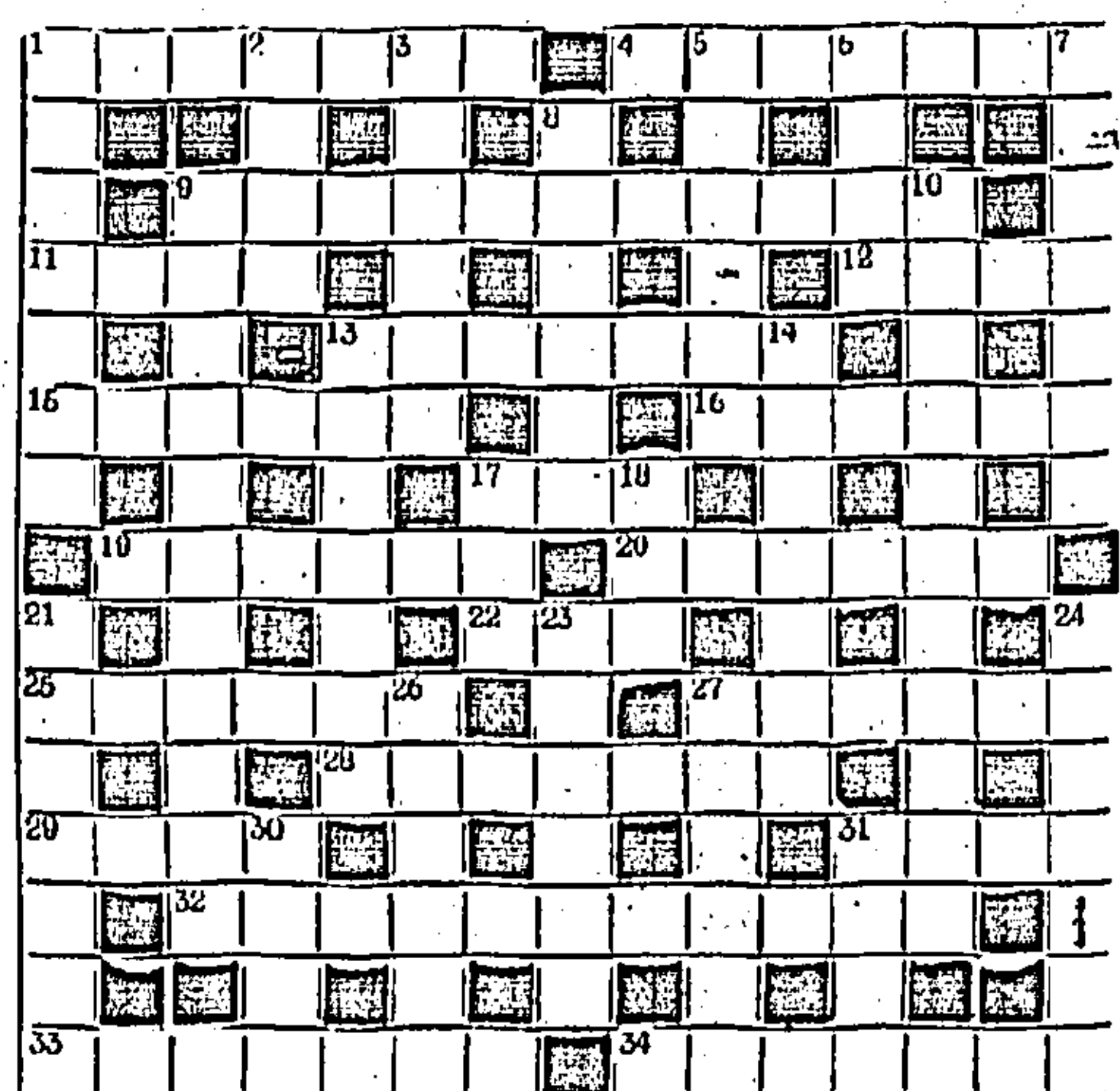


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- 1 Place apart.
- 4 Gathering—only worse.
- 9 It's roguery when shaven skins are so made up.
- 11 A weird-sounding sheet of water.
- 12 Use artistic treatment in making ketchup.
- 13 In this way the devil turning tail makes compositions.
- 16 Pressing.
- 18 Punch evidences the possession of it.
- 17 Tail of a comet.
- 19 Golfers should not take these away as souvenirs.
- 20 Transfix.
- 22 Give way.
- 26 Should be welcome to people fond of their own voices.
- 27 Suborned.
- 28 Quite a small lock.
- 29 The name of the wife who kept her head.
- 31 This city betrays no plot.
- 32 A form of fencing gives tennis matches vulgar credit.
- 33 A healing art.
- 34 Trouble or beer may be.

## Down

- 1 Genuine in a naive form.
- 2 Possibly straight, and used by 23 Down.
- 3 A Scottish river.
- 5 Fowl suggestion of treatment for obese patients.
- 6 Remains merely below a car.
- 7 Land may be: draw a deep breath, Edward!
- 8 Get away: you'll see the point before you've finished it.

## 23 Down in a 'Varsity college for birds.

- 10 Except for the centre this little fish appears to remain behind.
- 13 If he tries his game, a fellow is going to pot for certain, but—here he's up in games and a real help.
- 17 Writings.
- 18 More than half light.
- 21 Pets and moderates.
- 23 Here's a sportsman who somehow doesn't sound quite straight.
- 24 Gordian (anagram).
- 26 An utterer of notes.
- 27 Tribes (anagram).
- 30 The round end of 24 Down.
- 31 A doctor on this kind of boat would be in Russia.

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## THE WORLD OF WOMEN



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By Joan Savoy

THERE'S good news for girls who enjoy that certain elusive something known as careful careless grooming. Capes and cape coats are revived again and they afford the opportunity for studied nonchalance in an ensemble.



Call it the eternal feminine inconsistency if you will, but the fact remains that many a girl spends hours before her mirror achieving just the exact effect and then steps forth to impress the world with the utter carelessness of her get-up.

Sling a little cape around your slim shoulders and the battle for a nonchalant effect is half-won. Then, too, you'll have that much talked-about movement in the silhouette. For capes never stand still. Instead, they float along behind as you walk and ripple and rustle gracefully when you stand still.

TWO-THIRDS and hip-length capes seem to be the most popular right now. A parcel frock can be topped by one of sheerest wool or a suit can have a cape coat. A reversible cape answers the needs of a girl who requires street ensembles for spring. You can have two skirts, one to match the lining and the other of the same fabric as the outside of the cape. A fascinating little number (illustrated here) is of a luscious blue silk and wool mixture with an interesting coat cape.

The skirt flares gracefully from the knees and is buttoned at the hipline with three large pearl buttons. The double-breasted vest has a short peplum effect at the hips, small, mannish collar and notched lapels.

Underneath the vest one wears a blue and white sweater of a sheer silk and wool mixture with sleeves that are full above the elbows and end in long, tight cuffs. It fits snugly through the waistline and at the bosom and has a flattering V neckline.

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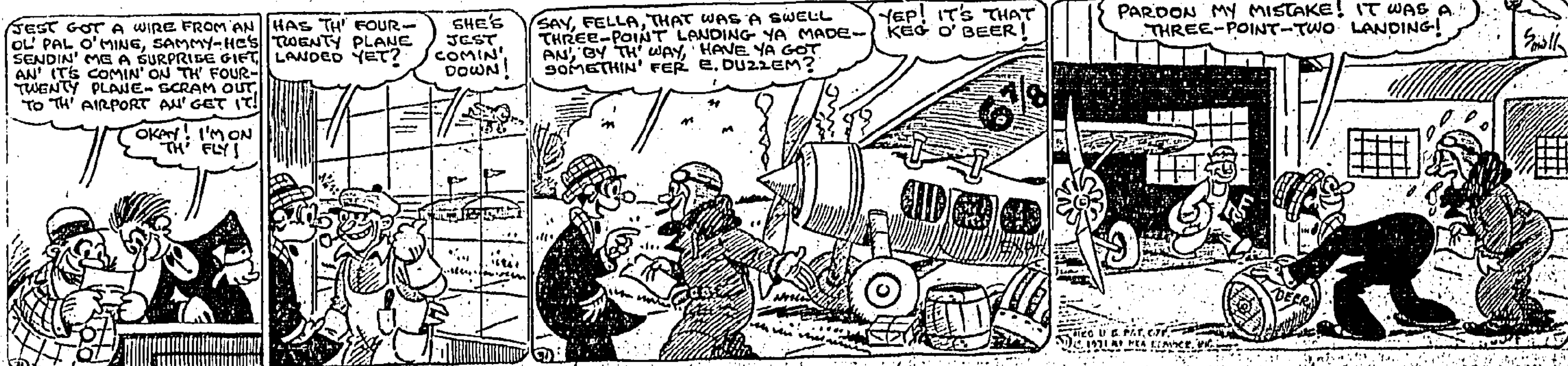
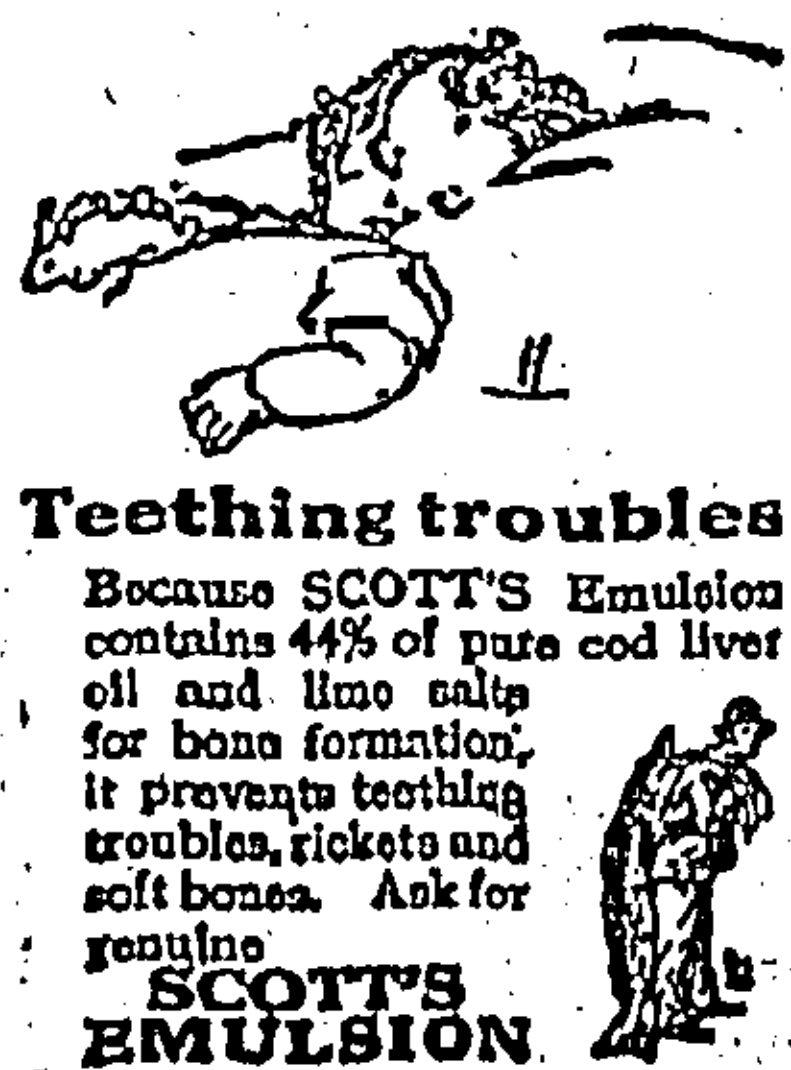
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## NOTICE

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2. Unless specially exempted in writing by the Inspector General of Police or exempted by Section 2 (5) of the Ordinance, every alien other than an alien of Chinese race who is resident in the Colony at the commencement of this Ordinance is required to report the fact in person or in writing for registration at Police Headquarters within one month of such commencement, and every such person who arrives in the Colony or who changes his ordinary residential or business address or who is about to leave the Colony is required to report the fact at Police Headquarters within seventy-two hours after every such arrival or within one week before every such change of address or intended departure.  
3. In any case of doubt a person shall be deemed to be an alien unless and until he produces a certificate, passport or other evidence to the satisfaction of the Inspector General of Police or of a Magistrate to the effect that he is a natural born or naturalised British subject.  
4. The Registration Office at Police Headquarters will be open between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. on week-days.  
E. D. C. WOLFZ,  
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## LANE, CRAWFORD, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWELFTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Lounge adjoining the Company's Restaurant, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, 9th June, 1934, at 11 o'clock a.m.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 28th May, 1934 to 9th June, 1934, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.  
A. W. BROWN,  
Manager & Secretary.  
Hongkong, 23rd May, 1934.

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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 15th June 1934, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 2nd June 1934, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by,  
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(For Account of the Concerned).

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All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society.

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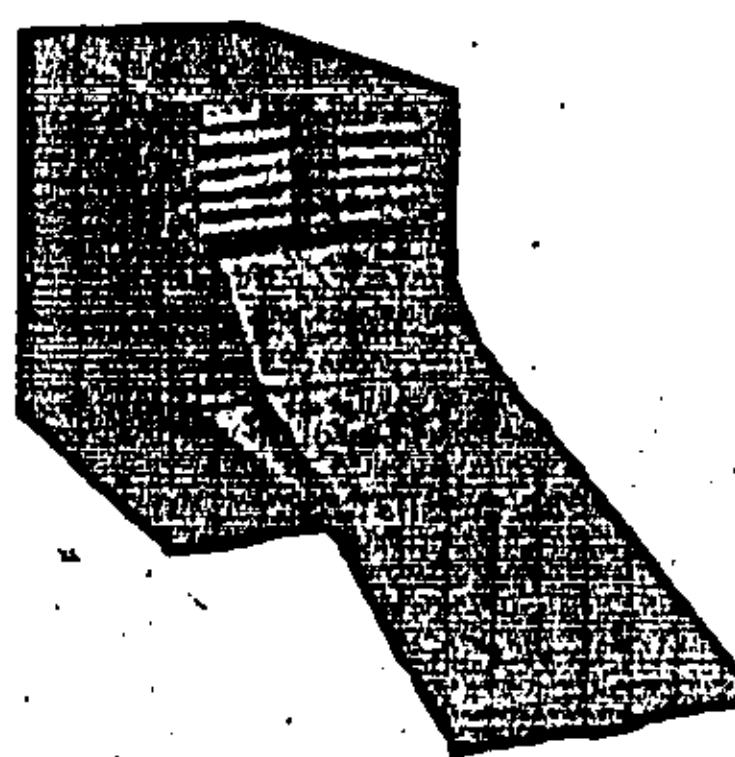
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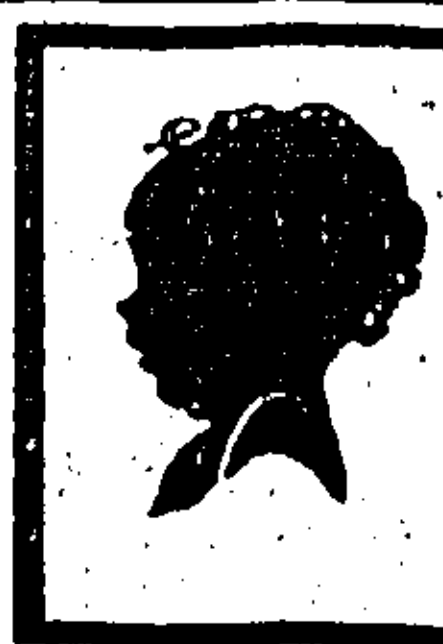
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## POST OFFICE NOTICE

### INWARD MAILS.

Papers	London, 3rd May—and	Suisse	May 30.
Parcels, 20th April		Tanda	May 30.
Calcutta and Straits		General Lee	June 1.
Japan			June 4.
Manila			June 1.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 12th May)			June 1.
Shanghai and Amoy		Pres. Jefferson	June 1.
Straits		Sunning	June 1.
Australia and Manila		Conte Rosso	June 2.
Manila		Nankin	June 2.
Shanghai		Andre Lebon	June 3.
Japan		Pres. Wilson	June 4.
Straits		Aeneas	June 5.
Japan		Aramis	June 5.
Straits		Manila Maru	June 5.
Japan		Pyrhus	June 5.
		Sydney Maru	June 5.

### OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Wednesday.	
Amoy	Shiratai	Wed., May 30, 5 p.m.
	Thursday.	
Amoy	Tsindane	Thurs., May 31, 8.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Heutsz	Thurs., May 31, 9.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Kaiser-I-Hind	Thurs., May 31, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru	Thurs., May 31, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., May 31, 3 p.m.
	Friday.	
Amoy	Suisse	Fri., June 1, 8.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Fri., June 1, 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C. and Europe via Siberia (Due Vancouver, B.C. June 20.)	Emp. of Japan	Fri., June 1, 1.30 p.m.
Hoibow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Parcels	Fri., June 1, 5 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Reg.	Fri., June 1, 9.15 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco (Due San Francisco, 24th June.)	Letters	Fri., June 1, 10 a.m.
	Saturday.	
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	Sat., June 2, 9 a.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Mantua Air Mail Service"		Sat., June 2.
	K. P. O.	
Reg.	June 1, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., June 1, 5 p.m.
Letters	June 1, 5 p.m.	Letters, June 2, 9 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Mantua		Sat., June 2.
"East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 29th June.)"		
	K. P. O.	
Parcels	June 1, 4.30 p.m.	Parcels, June 1, 5 p.m.
Reg.	June 2, 9 a.m.	Reg., June 2, 9.45 a.m.
Letters	June 2, 10 a.m.	Letters, June 2, 10.30 a.m.
*Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Tenda		Sat., June 2.
Zenland via Brisbane (Due Brisbane, 10th June)		Parcels, June 1, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	June 2, 8.30 a.m.
Amoy	Hupei	Sat., June 2, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., June 2, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Andre Lebon		Sat., June 2, 5 p.m.
Siberia		
	Sunday.	
Foochow	Chinhua	Sun., June 3, 9 a.m.
Hankok via Swatow	Kiangsu	Sun., June 3, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., June 3, 9 a.m.
	Tuesday.	
Batavia	Tjikembang	Tues., June 5, 10.30 a.m.
Letters for "Batavia—Marseilles Air Aramis Mail Service"		Tues., June 5.
	K. P. O.	
Reg.	June 5, 9.30 a.m.	Reg., June 5, 10 a.m.
Letters	June 5, 9.30 a.m.	Letters, June 5, 10.30 a.m.
Singon, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 2nd July)		Tues., June 5.
	K. P. O.	
Reg.	June 5, 10 a.m.	Reg., June 5, 10.45 a.m.
Letters	June 5, 11 a.m.	Letters, June 5, 11.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues., June 5, 2 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Manila Maru		Tues., June 5, 3.30 p.m.
East and South Africa		
*Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco (Due San Francisco, 26th June.)	President Wilson	Tues., June 5.
	Parcels	Tues., June 5, 3 p.m.
	Reg.	Tues., June 5, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters	Tues., June 5, 5 p.m.

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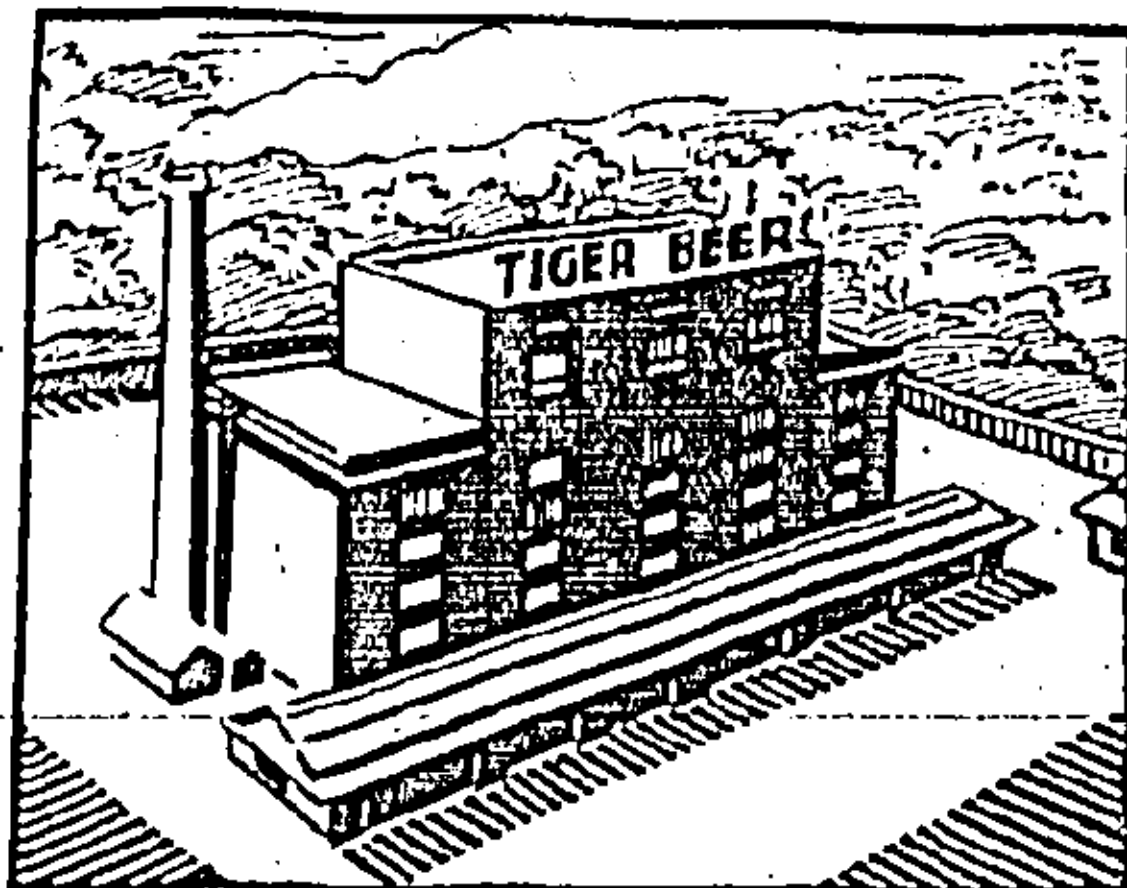
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## SHARE PRICES

### TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

#### Banks.

H.K. Banks, \$1867½ n.  
H.K. Bank (London), \$131 n.  
Chartered Bank, \$16½ n.  
Mercantile Bank, A. & B., \$28 n.  
Mercantile Bank C., \$16 n.  
East Asia Bank, \$93 s.  
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.  
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$4 n.  
China O. Fin. Prof., Sh. \$6 n.

#### Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$300 aa.  
Union Ins., \$682½ n.  
China Underwriters, \$1¼ n.  
China Fire, \$510 n.  
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.  
International Assce., \$6 n.

#### Shipping.

Douglas, \$41 n.  
H.K. Steamboats, \$9 n.  
Indo-Chinas, (Prof.), \$30 n.  
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$38 n.  
Shells (Bearer), 50½ n.  
Union Waterboats, \$11.10 b.

#### Mining.

Antamoke, 71 cts aa.  
Balatoc, \$33½ n.  
Bagulo Gold, 37 cts. n.  
Bonguets, \$32½ n.  
Bonguet Exploration, 18 cts. b.  
Bonguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.  
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.  
Gold Creek, \$3½ n.  
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.  
Kogons, \$7 n.  
Kailan, 21½ n.  
Langkats (Single), \$18½ n.  
Shai Exploration, Sh. \$4.80 n.  
Shai Loans, \$6½ n.  
Raubs, \$15½ n.  
Venz: Goldfield, \$7 n.

#### Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$104½ b.  
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.  
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.  
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.  
Providents (old), \$1.85 b.  
Providents (new), 76 cts. n.  
Hongkew, Sh. \$350 n.  
New Engineering, Sh. \$5.20 n.  
Shanghai Docks, \$183 n.

#### Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$10.30 b.  
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$75 n.  
Shai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$43 n.  
Zoong Sings, Sh. \$13½ n.  
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$55 s.

#### Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6.05 aa.  
H.K. Lands, \$60½ n.  
Shai Lands, Sh. \$25 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.  
Humphreys, \$11.20 n.  
H.K. Realities, \$5.10 n.  
Asia Realities, "A" Sh. \$140 n.  
Asia Realities, "B" Sh. \$20 n.  
Chinese Estates, \$80 n.  
China Realities, Sh. \$13½ n.  
China Debuture, Sh. \$137 n.

#### Public Utilities.

Tramway, \$21.30 aa.  
Peak Trams (old), \$15.00 n.  
Peak Trams (new), \$7½ n.  
Star Ferries (old), \$100 n.  
Yaumati Ferries, \$22½ n.  
C. Lights (old), \$8.80 aa.  
C. Lights (new), \$8½ n.  
H.K. Electric, \$73½ n.  
Macao Electric, \$25 b.  
Sandakan Lights, \$8 n.  
Telephones (old), \$25.10 aa.  
Telephones (new), \$12.60 aa.  
China Duses, Sh. \$13.20 n.  
Singapore Traction, 6/- n.  
Singapore Prof., 16/10½ n.

#### Industrials.

Malabon Sugars, \$12 s.  
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.  
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), \$19½ n.  
Canton Ice, \$2.70 n.  
Cements (new), \$2.70 n.  
H.K. Ropes, \$5½ s.

#### Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$25½ aa.  
Watsons, \$6¼ n.  
Der A Wings, \$1 n.  
Lane Crawford, \$4 b.  
Mackintosh, \$21 n.  
Sincere, \$9½ s.  
Wm. Powells, 80 cts. s.  
Wing On (H.K.), \$120 n.

#### Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$4 n.  
H.K. Entertainments, \$7½ n.  
S.C. Enterprises, \$1½ n.  
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.  
Macao "Greyhounds", \$2 n.  
Constructions (old), \$1.65 b.  
Constructions (new), 70 cts. b.  
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds  
\$7½ n.  
H.K. Govt. Loan 8½% b. prem  
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.  
Gold River, 29 cts. n.

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

### LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters.

Chinese Bonds, May 28, May 29.

4½% Bonds 1894 (Eng. Iss.) \$101 \$101  
4½% Loan 1908 \$93 \$93  
5% Loan 1912 \$99½ \$99½  
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.) \$92 \$92  
5% Bonds 1925-27 \$88 \$88  
5% Shai-Nanking Rly. \$68 \$68  
5% Tient-Pukow Rly. \$36 \$36  
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan) \$20½ \$20½  
5% Shai-Nanking Rly. \$20½ \$20½  
5% Ningpo Rly. \$90 \$90  
5% Honan Rly. \$29½ \$29½  
5% Hukwang Rly. \$39½ \$39½  
5% Lung Tung U. Rly. 1913 \$15½ \$15½

Foreign Bonds and Banks.

German 7½ Int. Loan 1924 71 72  
Japan 5½ Sterling Loan 1907 \$73½ \$73½  
Japan 5½ Sterling Loan 1924 \$86½ \$86½  
H.K. & Shai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.) \$131 \$131  
Charid. Bk. 15 sh. \$16½ \$16½  
Industrials and Breweries, Associated Elec.

Industrials 17/9 17/3  
Brit-Amor. Tob. (Bearer) 120/7½ 120/7½  
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer) 21/3 21/3  
Tate and Lyle 90/10½ 90/6  
Courtauld 60/3 59/3  
Distillers 91/- 90/-  
Dunlop Rubber 48/10½ 47/6  
Eveready 5/- sh. 29/7½ 29/4½  
General Electric (England) 41/4½ 41/-  
Boots 44/- 44/3  
Impl. Chem. Ind. 36/- 34/6  
Def. 10/- sh. 8/7½ 8/10½  
Impl. Tobacco 126/3 126/1½  
Woolworths 99/- 98/0  
Internat. N. Ickel no par val. \$26¼ \$20¼  
Pinchin Johnson 10/- sh. 38/1½ 38/1½  
Turner and Newall 47/6 47/-  
Unilever 24/- 24/-  
Miscellaneous  
Anglo-Dutch 26/- 24/6  
Burma Corp. Rs. 10/- 13/4½ 13/4  
Canadian Pacific Rly. 25 sh. \$16½ \$16½  
Charid. 15/- sh. 24/6 24/6  
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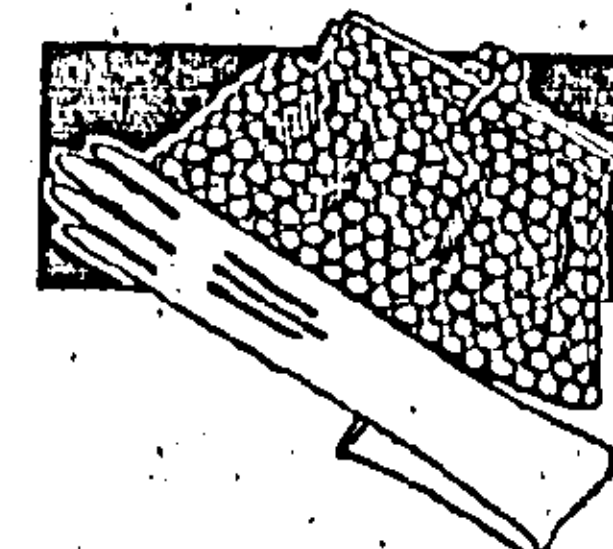
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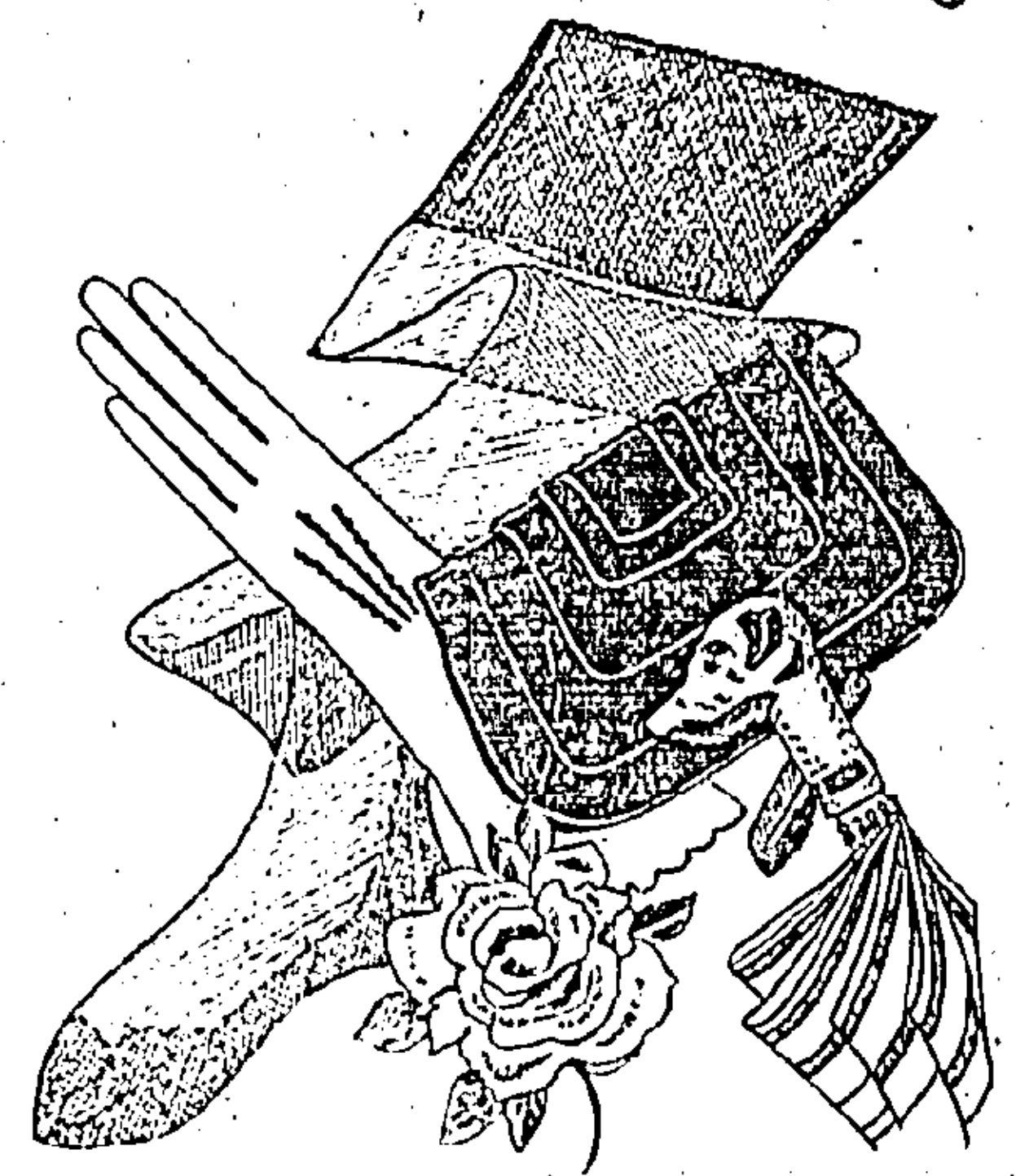
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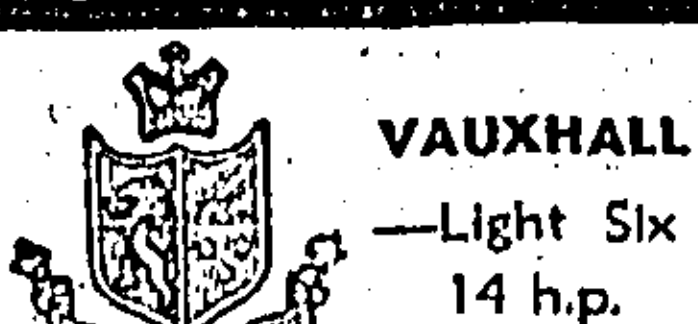
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WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 1934.

## JAPAN AND NAVAL RATIOS

Despite the insistence by Japan on the granting of naval parity with Britain and the United States, it is something to the good that the Tokyo Government is not averse to bilateral talks regarding the Naval Conference scheduled to meet next year. It is a wise move to endeavour to clear the ground somewhat before the Conference actually takes place. There are indications, however, that difficulties are likely to be encountered not only in regard to the naval ratio issue but also concerning the subjects to be discussed. Japan sees no ground for discussion of Far Eastern problems or political questions, pleading that these have already been thoroughly discussed by the League of Nations. The point is ignored, however, that Japan has steadfastly set her face against League intervention on Far Eastern issues, with the net result that the deliberations on these matters might as well never have taken place. On the other hand, it is hinted that both Britain and the United States firmly hold to the view that political questions are inextricably bound up with the problem of naval ratios, in view of Japan's military and political activities on the Asiatic mainland. The two issues are undoubtedly closely interwoven, and it is difficult to see how they can be divorced one from the other. Japan's stand on the naval question has recently been very bluntly stated in an official statement issued in Tokyo to the effect that the Washington ratios are a menace to the safety of the Japanese Empire, and that a new agreement must be drawn up "fairer and more reasonable, affording Japan a genuine assurance of security." It might almost be imagined from this statement that Japan is menaced by aggressive policies on the part either of the United States or of Britain, or both. Nothing, of course, is further from the truth. On what grounds, then, can the preservation of the existing ratios be held prejudicial to the safety or security of Japan? If there is any sign of aggressive tactics in relation to Pacific questions, it is to be found more in the policies of Japan than those of any other nation. The cause of peace will certainly not be served by scrapping of the existing naval ratios; indeed, there have already been pointed hints that if Japan insists on equality, the United States will feel impelled to strengthen her Pacific bases. In other words, a new naval race is in prospect. Japan to-day is in no more danger from outside aggression than she was when the Washington ratios were agreed to. On that ground alone, it is hard to see how a case can be made out for revision of the existing agreement.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## FUR FLYING

While scare-mongers and timorous folk in the United States talk excitedly of revolutions planned at Washington dinner parties, the man with an ordinary pair of eyes can get a much better estimate of the situation by looking around the country to the spots where the spray is beginning to fly over the battlements. If America does have a revolution, it will not come from the phlegmatic of eager intellectuals in Washington. Instead, it will be the result of ordinary folk getting wild and, in the American vernacular, starting to throw things. The last week's news contains several items that come pretty close to that category. In Minneapolis, the biggest city in Minnesota, the lorry-drivers virtually blocked the city, preventing the passage of food supplies. It only needed the presence of a violent revolutionary to have converted that remarkable situation into actual seizure of control of the city.

## GOVERNOR ACTS

In Oklahoma City, Governor Murray recently ordered national guardsmen on duty in eleven counties to prevent the sale of property for delinquent taxes, as advertised by county authorities. The soldiers were ordered to arrest "as a military prisoner" any county treasurer or other officer who tried to conduct such sale. In Nebraska, farm leaders organized a demonstration of 25,000 farmers to protest against New Deal agricultural policies and to demand the release of two men arrested for preventing farm mortgage foreclosure sales. In Toledo, Ohio, despite drastic action by the National Guards defending the Autolite Factory, strikers launched repeated assaults in attempts to smash through the barriers, grant steel gates being torn from their hinges and strike-breakers being kept in captivity for days, being afraid to venture out.

## FARMERS READY FOR "WAR"

And in North Dakota, farmers are still threatening "actual battle" to save their land from foreclosure, and demand that the governor declare martial law to save the situation. When all these things are added together, they sound rather ominous. A change is coming over the face of the waters—and it is the man at the bottom of the intellectual causing it, not the brains trust leader who is sitting craftily at a desk in Washington. What trouble is brewing in the United States is coming from the grass roots, not down from above. And the way to avert more trouble is to remove the causes of this discontent on the spot. Tuning in on an after-dinner chit-chat at Washington tells nothing and gets the people nowhere.

## A FAMOUS FAIR PASSING

Sentimental ties between Britons abroad and home, despite the ineffable bosh of magazine writers and after-dinner speakers, are extremely strong; and one thing in which we exiles are sure to display a good deal of interest is the slow passage from the contemporary scene of some of old England's most ancient traditions and customs. An example is the pending abolition of the famous Steep Fair at Cambridge. This fair dates back to the year 1211, in the Middle Ages it was one of the most famous fairs in the world, bringing merchants and travellers from all over Europe. Milton mentions it in "Paradise Lost." King Henry VIII levied on the fair's profits, in 1539, to relieve his own financial stringency. Now, according to the *Sunday Times*, the fair may be abolished. It has no practical value, and it is neglected by the general public.

## SUPER MEN

Professor Borget of Columbia should be warned. Otherwise he soon may be permanently disillusioned by men's apparent ingratitudes. There are understandable reasons why they will seem ungrateful for his promise that organic chemistry will produce a superman, perhaps sooner than nature. We, for one, should like to know what being a superman implies. Does it mean we should also be a super-handyman-around-the-house, for instance, a super-answerer of unnecessary questions, or of wrong-number ringers who seem to specialise on our telephone? Will organic chemistry make us a super-salary-maker, or a super-maker-of-ends-to-meet? Will it make us a super-superman, or just one of a crowd of quite ordinary and therefore not noticeable "super" supermen? Will it make us a super-sent-giver-up? A super-super-goer-into-the-theatre-late, or a super-riser at the theatre for other super-stoppers-on-not-so-super-feet? Will it make us a superman even if we don't want to be? Or will it make us want to be? And in either case, won't we become rather super-helpless about it all?

## CHINA PLAYING WAITING GAME

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS

ABANDONING all hope of being able to stop attempts at further piecemeal dismemberment, China is planning to consolidate her position within a much smaller, more compact area and there prepare for a comeback. Prepared if need be to abandon two-thirds of her enormous territory for an indefinite period, China has begun one of the most amazing efforts at national recovery since the time of the classic stratagem of the Trojan horse. The Japanese art of Jiu Jitsu wrestling is based on timing. The weak win over the strong by appearing to yield at an unexpected moment, then tripping the onrushing opponent thus caught off his guard. Aged and feeble China is going to try to Jiu Jitsu husky young Nippon.

## JAPAN JUST STARTING

Chinese leaders do not try to conceal their belief that the position of the republic is precarious. They are convinced that Japanese activities on the Asiatic mainland have only just begun.

They fully expect further aggression from that quarter. And they are unanimous that, so far as China is concerned, she cannot stop them.

That is the basis of China's present programme.

China is now keenly aware that for an indefinite period to come she can expect little or no practical help from the League of Nations, the nine-power treaty signatories, or any of the other component parts of the world peace machinery. Ergo, China must begin to look out for herself.

But this she cannot do if, in addition to facing attacks from without, she must engage in two or three civil wars inside her own borders.

In addition to China proper, there are Manchuria, Jehol, Mongolia, Chinese Turkestan and Tibet, and China has no means of getting at any of them.

## COUNTRY TOO LARGE

Bluntly, the Chinese geography for the moment is too vast. The power of the Nanking government simply won't spread so far.

It is doubtful even if the strongest of the western powers could cope with China's foreign and domestic difficulties, given her dearth of communications.

From Nanking to western Sinkiang and Tibet takes two or three months by primitive and perilous river and camel travel.

"How about planes?" I asked. "No place to land," was the reply. "Besides," the official added, "the planes would be captured unless protected by a large military force."

## REVOLTS ALWAYS RAGING

It is not surprising, therefore, that China is practically never free from revolts. Generally speaking, there are two or three going on in different parts of the country at the same time.

It is practical considerations such as these that are dictating the present course of Gen. Chiang Kai-shek, China's generalissimo.

"strong man," and chairman of the National Military Council.

When Japan seized Mukden, he did nothing. When she over-ran all Manchuria, he did not go to the rescue.

At Shanghai, it was the 19th Route Army, even then more or less hostile to the government at Nanking, that bore the brunt of the Japanese assault. And when Jehol was invaded, General Chiang's resistance was only nominal.

There was much hostile criticism in his own country. He was charged with playing into the hands of the enemy. But the explanation given to me makes it all very simple.

## SAVES BEST SOLDIERS

"Why throw away our best soldiers?" an official queried. "We hadn't the faintest chance to win. We would merely have weakened ourselves still further and gained nothing."

When machine gun battalions and batteries of field artillery fell back from Jehol on Peking, the best of the material was pulled out first. If any of it was to be captured, let it be the oldest and poorest.

From the maze of difficulties which beset China on all sides, inside and out, there has emerged a plan. Why continue to poke about futilely in a dozen different directions at once?

Like an army besieged, why not draw in the lines and concentrate on the main job of trying to save what is left?

## "BALLAST" IS DROPPED

In effect, China is making a sweeping gesture in the direction of the map, saying: "All that yellow area you see there is mine: Manchuria, Jehol, Inner Mongolia, Outer Mongolia, Sinkiang and Tibet, besides the 18 provinces of China proper. But, for the time being, all save China proper—and perhaps even some of that—will pretty much have to shift for itself."

Nanking is doing heroic work building roads and establishing other means of communication, including air routes. She plans a modern, national army equal to any.

Famous German army officers have been engaged as advisers to General Chiang.

The job as chief adviser previously had been offered to Gen. Smolley Butler, retired U. S. marine commander. His prestige in the Far East is as high for the way he handled his forces at Shanghai.

"He refused to accept. It is understood, lest an American in such a position further complicate the already none too good Japanese-American relations."

## AMERICAN TEACHES PILOTS

Colonel Jouett, another retired American army officer, however, is in charge of the Chinese air school at Hangchow, near Shanghai. Experts declare he is turning out pilots unsurpassed in the Far East.

Even as this was being written, as if to prove China's air-mindedness, a bright red biplane was (Continued on Next Column.)

The Very Idea!  
KINGSTONES OF KOWLOON

THE Editor was telling us the other day that we'd be surprised at the number of letters which find their way to his desk but never get much further.

He's off duty to-day, suffering from a sprained wrist through excessive overwork in throwing useless missives into the waste-paper basket. However, I've managed to get a peep into the aforesaid W.P.B. and have rescued therefrom the following epistles:

Sir,—May I request the hospitality of your columns for the enclosed notice to the members of my Association? In passing I should mention that my Committee, after careful consideration, have concluded that their assumption as to the reason for erecting these stones can be the only correct one as they cannot think of any valid reason for their preparation other than the intention of a benevolent Government to do the greatest good to the greatest number.

Yours etc.,

T. of T.

## Enclosure

KENNEL RABIES ASSOCIATION  
Special Notice

The Powers that Be having erected Kingstones on the Castle Peak and Tai Po Roads for the Convenience of Members of the Canine Community in general, the Standing Committee have arranged a Christening Ceremony details of which will be made known later.

Members are requested to take every opportunity of showing their appreciation of this considerate action on the part of our relatives the Wolverines.

TEH-OR OF TAIPO  
(Chairman)

## Kingstones

May 29, 1934.

Dear Sir,—We have it on the very best authority—that of a member of the Execution Council—that the stones recently erected have been set up as a public memorial for those trees recently and ruthlessly cut off during the Great Slaughter. We sincerely trust that the Canine World will indicate, in the usual manner, its hearty appreciation of the sympathy thus shown for the destruction of its rendezvous. May we congratulate the Government on its artistic taste? In material, shape, and size, the Kingstones are ideal.

Yours etc.,

N.T.WONG,

N.K.CHOW,

O.K.PERE.

## LESE MAJESTIE.

Dear Sir,—I sure, you know how I am longtime film liker at the Queen's Theatre and though to-day I go still there is thing always I admire more. When the lights go bright and the everybody no move and the band play the How you call it? Then the picture come on, the same face of the King. I went to pictures to see king like same age. He never grow old I think which is not right, or the Queen's put him on false pretences which is very bad.—From Chuen Gum.

Dear Reader—We are saving your letter to show the Queen's successors but we do not think that the present owner of famous anti-que representation of King will care to be involved in further expense at this point. After all, if His Majesty has stood it for 20 years, what's a few months between you and him?—GEORGE.

power-diving, looping, rolling, and tail-spinning above the river shipping just outside my window.

It was the Italian Commander Mario de Barnard showing off one of his Capronis which the Chinese had bought.

Until now, China has been depending too much upon the peace agencies. Henceforward, to the best of her ability, she plans to do for herself. To do this, she may have to retreat still further before foreign aggression. For she needs considerable time.

But at the expense of much lost territory, perhaps, and by concentrating on a smaller nucleus, she bids fair, in the end, to give some of her foes a rude awakening.



"I am afraid Mary isn't going to be very popular this summer if you do this to her tennis court."



AT RAID BY  
NORWEGIANSH BOATS'  
PLAINTSOMATIC  
CTION

London, May 29. Complaints have been made to the British Government that Norwegian fishing vessels have been interfering with the limit-line agreed upon by the Norwegian Government.

Wingfield, the British at Oslo, has been bringing these three boats to the office of the Norwegian and, if the facts in accordance with the received, to enter and to press for and assurances that the incidents are said to have occurred on April 22 off the limit-line. At several trawlers at night when a Norwegian, without lights, were seen, hampering operations.

## VY FINE.

ing permission, an the gunboat boarded "Bernard Shaw". The skipper of was accused of ed Norwegian fish- was informed that 0 kroner, an amount ar extracted from by the police when Hugh Honningvang. ater, the trawler also boarded, with explanation, al- skipper declares on Boarding Officer ad- nel was well outside ers.

## OF DISPUTE.

which proved in- place in London on the British and overments on the sorial waters. ber, however, an was reached be- confirming the pre- by which British insured of freedom tion in certain these recent in- ding would be re- prevent trouble in ng a definite settle- Wireless.

PERS SENT  
GAOLMONEY FOR  
G EXPENSES

to sell the boy to money to pay debts incurred at their act," remarked De- tor Dorling in pro- Chai and a woman, kidnapping a small Kowloon Magistrate Wynne-Jones this morn-

ing said defen- boy's mother lived at No. 140 Main on May 19, went out to the market worth of fish for failed to get the fish way back, he met who told him that his waiting for him to dragging.

came frightened and, age of this, Tang over to Hongkong. later taken to Macao. the mother traced to a house in Macao find the boy. The re handed over to the

On the following he was wandering in look for her son, she ants pleaded guilty. Dorling said Ip Tai Chai's tin fong wife, ed him only three

ship.—Only three think that if she had to him long, I might o, because, after all, but if she married months ago, I don't she is sufficiently ination to acquiesce this.

12 months with 12 birch was passed on and six months on Ip ed before Mr. Hamil- tral Magistrate this ed a bicycle in without holding the fined \$5. Sergeant saw defendant with handle bars.

HARD CASES  
MAKE  
GOOD LAW?AN UNREGISTERED  
"MUI-TSAI"MAGISTRATE'S  
REASONING

A fine of \$100, or two months' imprisonment, was imposed on a married woman named So Wun who was summoned before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court for keeping an unregistered mui-tai.

Sub-Inspector Fraser, of the S.G.A., told the Court that the girl's mother borrowed \$50 from the defendant three years ago. The girl was handed over to the defendant as security. About a year ago, the girl's father died, and her mother borrowed another \$15 from the defendant to defray the funeral expenses. Now the girl's mother wanted her daughter back, but defendant would not give up the girl unless the mother paid up \$55 in addition to \$2 a month for the three years that the girl had been staying with her.

Defendant in Court stated that she was not asking for \$2 a month. She only wanted back the money that had been borrowed from her. Moreover, she said, the girl was not a mui-tai. She was treated as a daughter in the family, being given the same kind of food and clothes as defendant's own children.

Inspector Fraser admitted that the girl was very well treated. Defendant further stated that the girl had no desire to return to her mother.

At this stage, both the defendant and the girl broke into tears. His Worship pointed out that the charge against defendant was for keeping an unregistered mui-tai. She could not say that the girl was not a mui-tai by calling her by another name. The girl was not her daughter, nor a paid employee, nor an adopted daughter. She was therefore a mui-tai. After the fine had been imposed, defendant and the girl were led out of Court weeping.

KING'S ACCESSION  
ANNIVERSARYCELEBRATION PLANS  
TO BE ANNOUNCED

London, May 29. On the reassembly of Parliament to-day after the Whitsuntide recess, the Prime Minister was asked in the Commons whether the Government intended to appoint a committee to make arrangements at home and in the Dominions for the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the King's accession next year.

The Prime Minister said the matter was at present under consideration and he hoped to be able to make a statement shortly.—British Wireless.

COLUMBIA AND  
PERUGENEVA AGREEMENT  
ENDORSED

London, May 29. In the House of Commons, the Prime Minister expressed satisfaction in announcing the formal signature last week of a protocol of friendship and co-operation between Columbia and Peru.

This, he said, was the result of negotiations which have been proceeding at Rio de Janeiro between delegates of those two countries on the terms of an agreement reached at Geneva a year ago.—British Wireless.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

WHEN MEN ARE PURE, LAWS ARE USELESS; WHEN MEN ARE CORRUPT, LAWS ARE BROKEN.—Lord Beaconsfield.

The Far Eastern Investments and Securities Trading Co. have received the following information from their Shanghai agents: "Tannah Morahs declared seven cents dividend for year ending March, 1934. Net profit \$12,000, with average net price about 3/4d. per pound. Expect large rise. Market generally firm. Kelantan, 34 cash; Tannah Merahs, 170 June

There being insufficient evidence regarding the alleged possession of a quantity of tobacco and 20 tins of illicit opium found in the hold of the river steamer Sai On, the No. 1 German aboard the vessel was discharged by Mr. Hamilton in the Central Police Court this morning. The contraband was found in the port bunk on the morning of May 28. Mr. R. C. H. Lin, instructed by Messrs. Ruse & Co., appeared for the defence.

CUBAN TREATY  
WITH U.S.AN END OF PLATT  
AMENDMENTNEGOTIATIONS  
SUCCEED

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, May 29. Mr. Cordell Hull, the U.S. Secretary of State, and Senor Marques, the Cuban Ambassador, to-day signed a new Treaty governing the political relations between the two countries.

The Treaty results in the scrapping of the Platt Amendment and Cubans regard the Treaty as having elevated Cuba to the full status of a sovereign independent nation.

Mr. Hull, in the course of a statement, said, the Treaty abrogates the Treaty of 1903, embracing the Platt Amendment, and perpetuates all acts effected in Cuba by the United States during the occupation prior to the establishment of the Republic, including rights acquired under those acts, and continues the Guantanamo Naval Base.

The Treaty will be effective as soon as ratifications are exchanged. It is understood that an effort will be made to rush the pact through the Senate as soon as possible, and to secure ratification during the present session.—United Press.

GOODS NOT ON  
MANIFESTFINE IMPOSED AT  
MAGISTRACY

Ho Kwai, charged before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning, with having imported cargo on the steamer Fatahan without manifest, was fined \$75.

The cargo consisted of four brass kettles, three brass boilers, 20 lacquer boxes, three lacquer sweet trays, and 19 wooden cake moulds.

Defendant said he had paid the Customs duty for the goods at Canton.

Mr. Hamilton remarked that the charge was that he did not put the goods on the manifest. Defendant said he had only recently returned from Singapore, and was taking the goods back to Canton.

In view of this, Mr. Hamilton said he would not make an order for confiscation, but told defendant not to fail to put the goods on the manifest when he went to Singapore, otherwise he might lose them.

AFRICAN  
PROTECTORATESTHE UNION TRANSFER  
QUESTION

London, May 29. In the House of Commons, the Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, said he had received a personal letter from General Horzorg submitting certain reasons for asking that the question of the transfer to the Union of South Africa of various native Protectorates adjoining the Union might be further considered.

Mr. Thomas added, in reply to a further question, that no communication had been received from the Protectorates themselves with regard to this matter.—British Wireless.

TENSION IN  
FAR EASTSIGNIFICANT  
RUSSIAN ORDERSWHEAT CARGOES  
FOR SIBERIA

London, May 30.

An outcome of the tension between Soviet Russia and Japan in the Far East is the supply of wheat to Siberia through foreign countries.

A Soviet organisation in London is purchasing Australian and Argentine wheat for shipment to Vladivostok.

Two cargoes of Australian and one of Argentinean wheat totalling 22,500 tons, have already been bought, says the Financial Times, and it is expected that further shipments will be arranged.

In some quarters, the orders are attributed to widespread crop failures, although it is also probable that the consumption of wheat in the Vladivostok area has abnormally increased owing to the presence of the large force of troops maintained in the region since the period of Russo-Japanese tension arose.

## HUGE SHIPMENTS.

The latter suggestion is supported by the fact that Russia has been shipping huge quantities of cereals, cement and other materials from the Black Sea to Vladivostok for the last eighteen months.—Reuter.

SILVER FLUCTUATION  
CONSEQUENCESFrench Commission's  
Report

Paris, May 29. The Commission recently established by the Minister of the Colonies to study the repercussions of the fluctuations of silver on the economic situation in the Far East, especially in Indo-China has reported.

The Commission rejects any measures tending, under any form, towards the voluntary devaluation of the Indo-Chinese piastre, and makes a number of suggestions with the object of improving the economic situation in Indo-China. The Minister of the Colonies has adopted the conclusions.—Reuter.

STIFF FINE FOR  
JOY-RIDERTOOK EUROPEAN'S  
MOTOR-CAR

On a second offence for having driven a motor car without the permission of the owner, Francis Lee, a well-dressed young man, appeared before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning, and was fined \$100, or two months' hard labour.

Accused was alleged to have taken car No 3655, belonging to Mr. M. Weill, which was parked in an alleyway near the Hongkong Hotel last night. He was seen driving the car, and was arrested about 3.30 this morning on Island Road.

Lee was convicted last year for driving a motor cycle without the permission of the owner, and was fined \$50.

SCOTTISH HERRINGS  
FOR SOVIETLarge Purchase Arranged  
in London

London, May 30. Good news for the distressed Scottish herring industry came at the close of a meeting between the Scottish herring curers and Russian representatives in the House of Commons last evening.

The Soviet agreed to purchase 70,000 barrels of this season's catch of Scottish herrings at 27s. 3d. a barrel.

The curers originally asked 30/- a barrel and the Soviet offered 25/-.—Reuter.

The three Sanitary Department coolies and a street coolie, who are charged with the manslaughter of an unlicensed hawk in Tank Lane on the night of May 16, made another formal appearance before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning when they were remanded a further week. Detective-Sergeant Goodwin, for the prosecution, said papers were with the Attorney General.

RADIO  
BROADCAST

## TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

DANCE MUSIC FROM  
THE STUDIO

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilo-cycles): 4.30-7.30 p.m. Chinese Programme. 6.6-15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.

7.30-10.30 p.m. European Programme. 7.30-8 p.m. Variety.

Vocal—Whistling in the Dark. The Viennese Seven Singing Sisters. Organ Solo—My Song Goes Round the World.

Organ Solo—By a Waterfall. Frederic Bayce. Song—Son O' Mine (from "Freebooter Songs").

Song—The Rebel (from "Freebooter Songs"). Donnie Noble (Baritone). Pianoforte Duet—Footlight Parade—Selection.

Pianoforte Duet—The Way to Love—Selection. Carroll Gibbons and John W. Green. Vocal Duet—What's Good for the Goose, is Good for the Gander.

Vocal Duet—Gee, Oh Gosh, I'm Grateful. Sam Browns and His Girl Friend. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.28 p.m. Orchestral Music. Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1 in F. (Liszt-Doppelar).

The London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates. Le Rouet D'Omphale (Omphale's Spinning Wheel) (Saint-Saens, Op. 31).

Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York Directed by Willem Mengelberg.

Concert Waltz in A (Glazunov). Witches Dance (La Tregenda) From "La Villi" (Puccini).

The B. B. C. Wireless Symphony Orchestra conducted by Percy Pitt. 8.25-8.45 p.m. Concerto No. 1 in E Flat Major (Liszt).

Mischa Levitzki and the London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald. 1st Movement—Allegro Maestoso.

2nd Movement—Quasi Adagio. 3rd Movement—Allegro Vivace. 4th Movement—Allegro Marziale Animato.

8.45-9.15 p.m. From the Studio. "Topical Talks on the United Kingdom" by Mr. G. C. Pelham, (H. M. Trade Commissioner).

9.15-9.30 p.m. Selections by the J. M. Squire Celeste Octet. Putting the Clock Back (Famous Folk Songs of Britain) (arr. Squire).

My Sweetheart When a Boy (Morgan, arr. Willoughby). Silver Threads Among the Gold (Danke, arr. Willoughby).

9.30-10.30 p.m. From the Studio. Dance Music by Professor N. A. Tonoff and His Jazz Orchestra. Programme.

"Going Hollywood." 1. Temptation. 2. Our Big Love Scene. 3. At Sundown.

4. We'll Make Hay While the Sun Shines. "Gold Diggers of 1933." 5. Shadow Waltz. "Footlight Parade."

6. Honeymoon Hotel. 7. By a Waterfall. 8. Sitting on a Backyard Fence. "I Am Suzanne."

9. St. Moritz Waltz. "Roman Scandals." 10. Build a Little Home. 11. Keep Young and Beautiful. 12. Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf?

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News. 10.35 p.m. Close Down.

## MEMORIAL DAY

AMERICAN GRAVES  
VISITED

Memorial Day was duly observed yesterday by the American community in Hongkong. The flag of the American Consulate General was flown at half-mast until noon.

Following the customary procedure, the American Consul General and members of the American community visited Happy Valley Cemetery, where the American ladies laid wreaths on the graves of American citizens buried there. A wreath was also placed at the base of the Kulan Monument in Wanchai.

The following American ladies took part in the commemoration ceremony:—Mrs. Benson, Mrs. Gambell, Mrs. Gee, Mrs. Grover, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Otto, Mrs. Sanger, Mrs. Simon and Mrs. Sommers.

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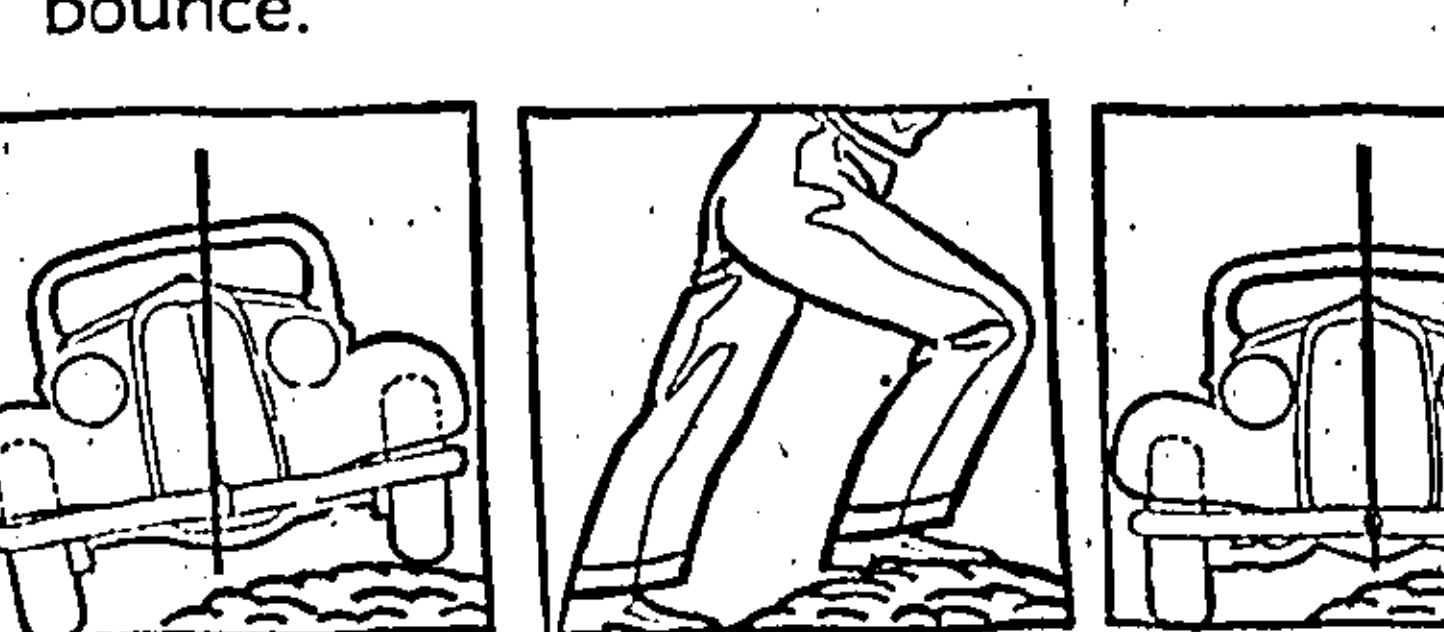
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## SPORT ADVTs.

## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The SIXTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitted) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 2nd June, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

**MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.**  
Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27704), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted to enter Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Box in advance. Telephone 21920.

## PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Tie the Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1934.

## THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

## NOTICE.

THE MAY HALF YEARLY GENERAL MEETING OF VOTING MEMBERS will be held at the Club House, Happy Valley, on Thursday, 31st May, 1934, at 5.30 p.m.

All MEMBERS are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue.

By Order of the Stewards,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 16th May, 1934.

## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

## Sixth Extra Race Meeting.

Admission to the Public Enclosure on 2nd June, 1934, has been reduced to One Dollar for all persons including ladies. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform admitted at half price.

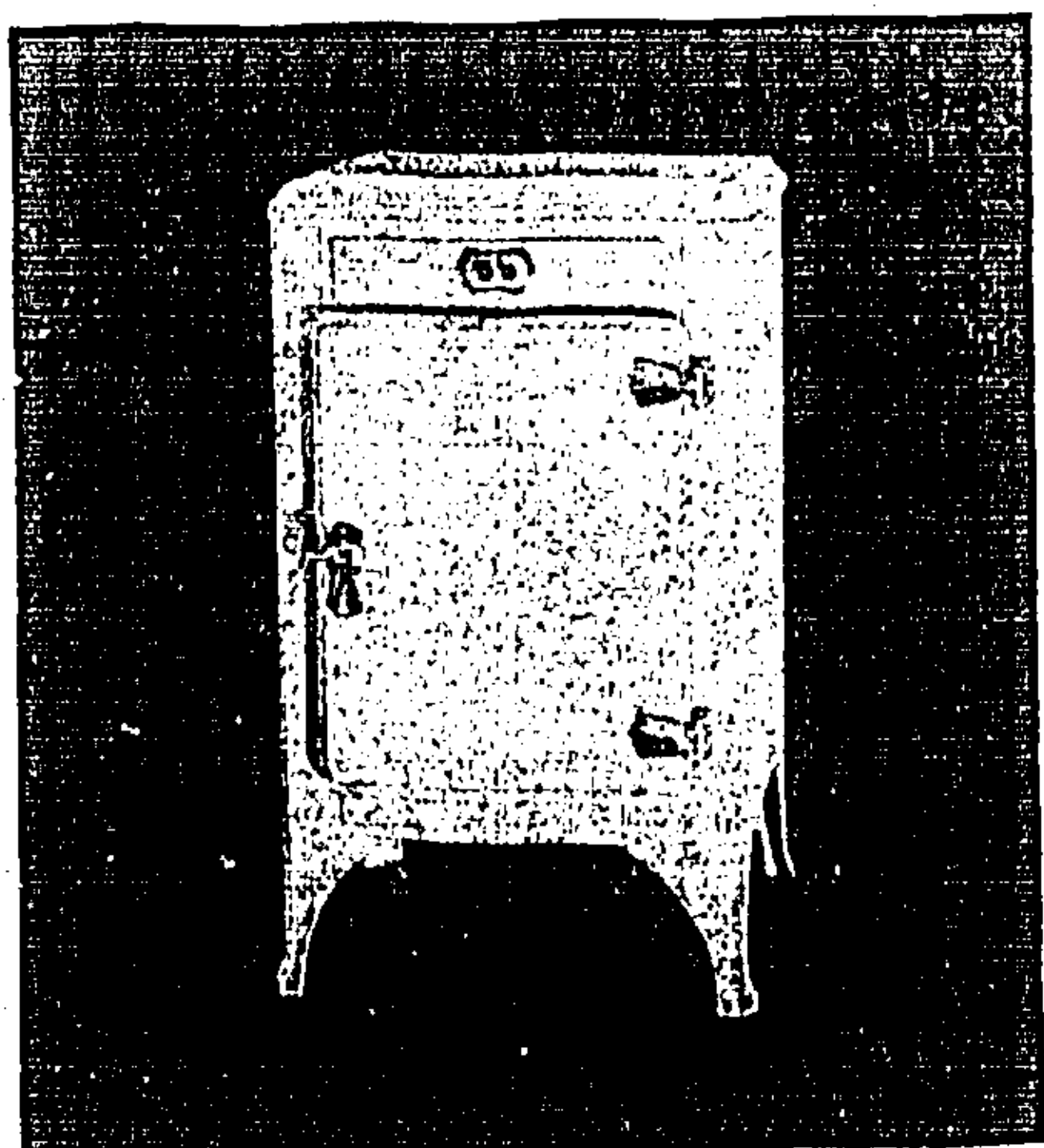
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## DECISIVE WIN FOR RECREIO

### K.C.C. Meet Waterloo. At Sookunpoo.

## CLUB COLLEAGUES IN CONFLICT

The Kowloon Cricket Club lost their first match in the "A" Division of the tennis league, when they visited Sookunpoo and were beaten by the Indian Recreation Club.

Other features of a full programme included the decisive victory of the Recreio against U.S.R.C., and the collapse of the C.R.C. (2) against their senior club colleagues.

Details of the matches, together with league table, follow.

On the home courts, the Club de Recreio defeated the United Services Recreation Club by eight sets to one.

A. V. Remedios and J. Gonsalves (Recreio) beat Capt. Cannon and Tollyington 6-2; beat Field and Withington 6-0; beat Slade and Stocker 6-1.

F. J. Remedios and J. J. Remedios (Recreio) beat Capt. Cannon and Tollyington 6-3; beat Field and Withington 6-2; beat Slade and Stocker 6-2.

C. A. Barretto and G. A. Noronha (Recreio) lost to Capt. Cannon and Tollyington 2-6; beat Field and Withington 6-2; beat Slade and Stocker 6-2.

The South China A.A. defeated the Hongkong Cricket Club by 5½ to 3½ at King's Park. Scores:

T. C. Luk and S. W. Wong (South China) drew with Sullivan and Goldman 4-6; beat Wild and Armstrong 6-2; beat Bathurst and Pote-Hunt 6-4.

D. C. Luk and W. T. Lee (South China) lost to Sullivan and Goldman 4-6; beat Wild and Armstrong 6-3; beat Bathurst and Pote-Hunt 6-1.

W. H. Ho and Chan So (South China) lost to Sullivan and Goldman 5-7; lost to Wild and Armstrong 6-7; beat Bathurst and Pote-Hunt 6-2.

**INDIAN R.C. v. KOWLOON C.C.**  
Visiting Sookunpoo, the Kowloon C.C. were defeated by the Indian R.C. by 5½ sets to 3½. Scores:

H. D. Rumlajn and I. M. A. Razack (I.R.C.) lost to E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher 6-7; beat A. P. Guest and F. Grose 6-0; beat W. Hyde and J. Rodger 6-4.

A. R. Mian and A. H. Madar (I.R.C.) lost to Fincher and Grose 4-6; lost to Guest and Grose 3-6; beat Hyde and Rodger 6-4.

S. A. Rumlajn and J. A. Gasambhoy (I.R.C.) drew with Fincher and Fincher 6-6; beat Guest and Grose 6-4; beat Hyde and Rodger 6-4.

**CHINESE R.C. "A" v. "B."**  
The Chinese R.C. "A" team easily accounted for the Chinese R.C. "B" team at Causeway Bay, winning by eight sets to one. Scores:

Tsui Wai-pul and W. C. Hung (C.R.C. "A") drew with Ng Sze-ewang and Chiu Chun-chiu 6-6; beat Ng Kam-chuen and Tam Yoc-fong 6-3; beat Lu Tak-lam and Lo Man-ho 6-1.

M. K. Lo and Lu Tak-cheuk (C.R.C. "A") drew with Ng and Chiu 6-6; beat Ng and Tam 7-5; beat Lu and Lo 6-3.

Ho Ka-lau and Paul Kong (C.R.C. "A") beat Ng and Chiu 6-4; beat Ng and Tam 6-4; beat Lu and Lo 6-1.

**LEAGUE TABLE.**

Chinese "A" ... 3 3 4 - 23½ 3½ 0  
Indian R.C. ... 3 3 - 20 7 0  
South China ... 2 3 - 13½ 10½ 4  
Recreio ... 3 2 - 1 10½ 10½ 4  
Kowloon C.C. ... 3 2 - 1 13½ 13½ 4  
Hongkong C.C. ... 3 1 - 2 12½ 14½ 2  
U.S.R.C. ... 3 - 3 7 20 -  
Chinese "B" ... 2 - 2 5 13 -  
Chinese "D" ... 3 - 3 4½ 22½ -  
Craigengower ... 1 - 1 1 8 -

**NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAMME.**  
Next Tuesday, the following matches will be played in the "A" Division:

Chinese "C" v. Chinese "A"  
Chinese "B" v. U.S.R.C.  
Craigengower v. Hongkong C.C.  
Club de Recreio v. Kowloon C.C.  
South China v. Indian R.C.

**"C" DIVISION.**  
The Kowloon Bowling Green Club played off their tie in the "C" Division against the Radio Sports Club at King's Park and won by six sets to three. Scores:

T. Armstrong and S. Rando (K.B.G.C.) lost to W. J. Chanson and Wei Chong 3-6; beat C. A. K. Jeffrey and M. Sherriff 7-5; beat Jahan Dad and G. M. Khan 6-1.

J. T. Bewas and J. L. Tetley (K.B.G.C.) beat Chanson and Wei Chong 6-3; beat Jeffrey and Sherriff 6-0; beat Jahan Dad and Khan 6-4.

D. W. Waterton and W. A. Bland (K.B.G.C.) lost to Chanson and Wei Chong 5-6; drew with Jeffrey and Sherriff 6-6; drew with Jahan Dad and Khan 6-6.

**CONTRACT BRIDGE**  
**Danenberg & Ozorio Win First Final**

In the first session of the final of the Colony Contract Bridge Tournament, held in the Sports Club last evening, Messrs. Danenberg and Ozorio beat Messrs. D. Judah and M. Pollit by the narrow margin of 170 points.

The cards were well distributed throughout and no difficult or outstanding hands were held by the competitors during the whole five rubbers. The match was completed in less than an hour and a half.

The second session will be held on Thursday, commencing at 5.30 p.m.

## HEAVING TO WORLD RECORD



As this picture was snapped a 16-pound shot was hurtling through the air on its way to a world record. It was Johnny Lyman's very first try for Stanford University during the meet with University of California, and his record of 54 feet 1 inch was the highlight of Stanford's 81-50 win.

## Charity Swimming Gala

### NEXT MONTH'S BIG EVENT

With its aim to assist the worthy cause of the Society for the Protection of Children, a swimming gala will be held at the South China Athletic pavilion, North Point, on Saturday evening, June 9, when an attractive programme will be offered.

Leading Colony aquatic performers will be seen in action, including several Olympic stars. Practically all of the events are open, and some outstanding performances are definitely assured.

The event, which is under the patronage of Lady Southern, will be offered to the public at the popular price of \$3 admission and tickets can be obtained from Mr. M. K. Lo, the South China Athletic Association, or members of the Society for the Protection of Children.

Handsome prizes are being donated for the successful swimmers, and the gala should not be missed.

**THE PROGRAMME.**  
The programme is as follows:—

1.—Men's 200 metres team race (for team of four).  
2.—Ladies' 200 metres team race (for team of four).  
3.—Men's 50 metres obstacle race.

4.—Girls' 50 metres obstacle race (open only to members of South China Athletic Association who shall measure 3 feet 5 inches or under).  
5.—Boys' 50 metre free style (open only to members of the South China Athletic Association who shall measure 3 feet 5 inches to 3 feet 9 inches).  
6.—Ladies' 100 metres free style for "Lady Southern Cup."  
7.—Diving.

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and played a prominent part in the decisive victory scored by Sussex. Out of the Sussex score of 446 for 5 declared, Langridge put together 232 not out. Afterwards Maurice Tate came into his own, and bowling magnificently, sent Northants back for 141, his seven victims only coating 42 runs. Yorkshire made a smart, re-

## MATCHES IN PROGRESS.

## AUSTRALIANS AT THE OVAL.

The first class cricket programme now in progress in England follows.

## COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Middlesex v Warwick—Lord's  
Essex v Kent—Drentwood  
Somerset v Sussex—Taunton  
York v Northants—Bradford  
Glamorgan v Lancs—Cardiff  
Leicester v Gloucester—Leicester

## OTHER MATCHES.

Surrey v Australians—Oval  
Oxford v Minor Counties—Oxford

covery and won easily against Derbyshire. It was thanks largely to Mitchell and Bowes, the two bowlers together taking 16 wickets for only 182 runs. Mitchell had successful spells in both innings and altogether captured 11 for 122.

8.—Girls' 50 metres obstacle race open to members of South China Athletic Association.

9.—Men's 200 metres breast stroke.  
10.—Water Polo—European v Chinese.

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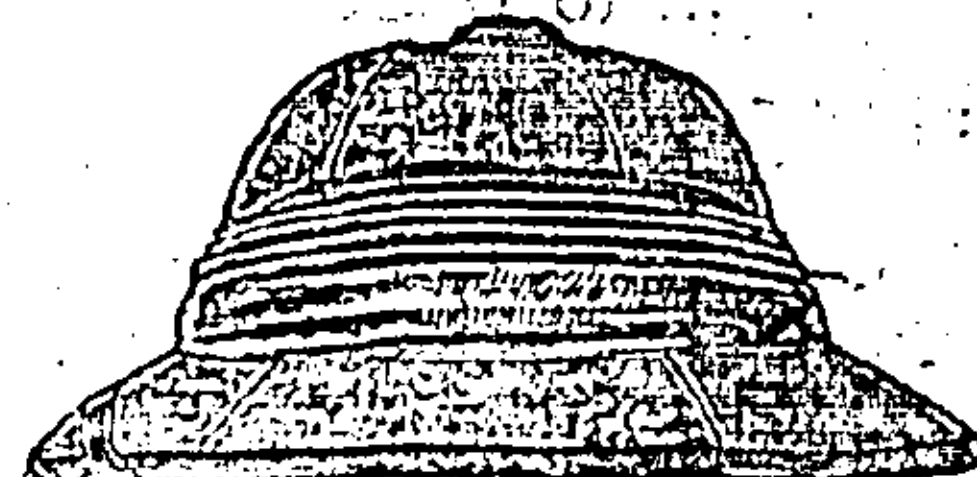
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- 3.—The right to publish any or all of the entries in the *Telegraph* is reserved.
- 4.—Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- 5.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
- 6.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- 7.—Photographs which must not be less than 2 1/4 x 3 1/4 (excepting in the Children's Section) should be printed in black and white, with the entry form lightly pasted on the back.
- 8.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- 9.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the entry form countersigned by a parent.
- 10.—Members of the Staff are not permitted to compete.
- 11.—The decision of the Judges shall be final.

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If entered in Children's Section, parent please countersign here

### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

#### YESTERDAY'S MARKET STEADY

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was steady yesterday. Business done 380,000 shares. The *Wall Street Journal* reported: The list was narrow, irregular and the dull market in a decade with one exception, due to Memorial Day holiday many brokers leaving town and many of them not returning until Monday. Curb issues and Bonds were generally irregular. United States Bonds were firm. Argentines strong and Home Loan Corporation Bonds extremely active. Wheat erratic due to approaching holiday and fears that higher prices might encourage importations from the Argentine. Crop conditions are reported as being sensationally bad, particularly in the American and Canadian Northwest.

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz's New York office report: Stocks drifted meaninglessly in a dull preholiday session. Wheat: The drought continues. There was heavy realizing and a natural reaction as a result of Wednesday's holiday. The situation can only be changed by general rains and these are not in sight. According to cable reports Russia a buyer of wheat and flour. Cotton with planting almost completed under favourable conditions and labour unions threatening an extensive strike on account of the twenty-five per cent. mill curtailment. Textiles quiet and with no spot demand, lack of buying incentive continues. The steadiness is largely due to lack of offerings. Rubber featureless but steady. Sugar: Quiet pending quota announcement. Refiners' interest above 2.75 basis. Few parcels duty free offering around 2.80. Silver: The market advanced slightly on the rumour that the silver bill will be amended slightly to reduce or elude profit tax.

Dow-Jones N.Y. Averages

	May 28	May 29
30 Industrials	95.66	95.32
20 Rails	43.96	43.51
20 Utilities	23.49	23.38
40 Bonds	94.10	94.17
11 Commodity Index	66.04	66.04

The following market closing prices are quoted subject to confirmation as to accuracy in transmission.

	May 28	May 29
Adams Express	8 1/8	8
Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Company	20 1/2	19 1/2
Allied Chemical and Dye	134 1/4	134
American Can	94 1/2	94 1/2
American & Foreign Power	8 1/4	8 1/4
American Metal	23 1/4	23 1/4
American Tel. and Tel.	114 1/2	114 1/2
American Tobacco	72	71 1/4
American Water Works	19	Unq.
Anacosta Copper	4 1/4	4 1/4
Auburn Automobile	35 1/2	35 1/2
Atlas Corporation	11 1/2	11 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	23 1/2	23 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	34 1/2	33 1/2
Borden Company	25 1/2	24 1/2
Borg-Warner	23 1/2	22 1/2
Canadian Pacific Railway	15 1/2	15 1/2
Case, J.I.	52 1/2	52 1/2
Chase National Bank (bid price)	27 1/2	27 1/2
Chesapeake Corporation	44	43 1/2
Chrysler Corporation	40 1/2	40 1/2
Columbia Gas and Electric	13	13
Commonwealth and Southern	2 1/4	2 1/4
Consolidated Gas of New York	3 1/2	3 1/2
Consol. Oil Corp.	10 1/2	10 1/2
Continental Oil	20 1/2	20 1/2
Coty Inc.	5 1/2	5 1/2
Curtis Wright Com.	3 1/2	3 1/2
Curtis Wright "A"	10 1/2	10 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	30 1/2	30 1/2
Eastman Kodak	96	96 1/2
Electric Bond and Share	14 1/2	14 1/2
Electric Power and Light	6	5 1/2
Fox Film "A"	15	14 1/2
General Aviation	4 1/2	4 1/2
General Electric	20	20 1/2
General Foods	31 1/2	32 1/2
General Motors	33	32 1/2
General Railway Signal	Unq.	Unq.
Gold Dust	19 1/2	19 1/2
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	28 1/2	28 1/2
International C. & I.	24 1/2	24
International Harvester	32 1/2	32
International Nickel	26 1/2	26 1/2
International Tel. & Tel.	12 1/2	12 1/2
Johns-Manville	42 1/2	42 1/2
Kennecott Copper	10 1/2	10 1/2
Lehman Corporation	Unq.	Unq.
Liggett and Myers	Unq.	Unq.
Loew's Inc.	96	95
Loew's P. (Com.)	31 1/2	31 1/2
Long Island P. (Com.)	17 1/2	17 1/2
Montgomery Ward	20 1/2	20
National City Bank (bid price)	27 1/2	27 1/2
National Distillers	28	26 1/2
New York Central	28 1/2	28 1/2
North American Co.	17 1/2	17 1/2
Owens-Illinois Glass	74 1/2	74
Pacific Gas & Electric	17 1/2	17
Packard Motors	4	4

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### COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

#### LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for yesterday.

	May 28	May 29
Cotton		
July	11.42	11.44-11.44
October	11.65	11.64-11.64
December	11.76	11.76-11.76
January	11.80	11.81-11.81
March	11.80	11.81-11.81
May	12.00	12.01-12.01
Spot	11.60	11.60

	May 28	May 29
Chicago Wheat		
July	98 1/2	97 1/2-98
September	98 1/2	97 1/2-98
October	97 1/2	97 1/2-98

	May 28	May 29
Winnipeg Wheat		
July	78	78 1/2-78 1/2
October	81	81 1/2-81 1/2

	May 28	May 29
Silver		
May	45.10	45.15
July	45.15	45.18-45.18
September	45.20	45.24-45.24
December	45.45	45.55-45.55
January	45.65	45.70-45.70
March	45.95	45.95-45.95
May 1935	46.19	46.19-46.19

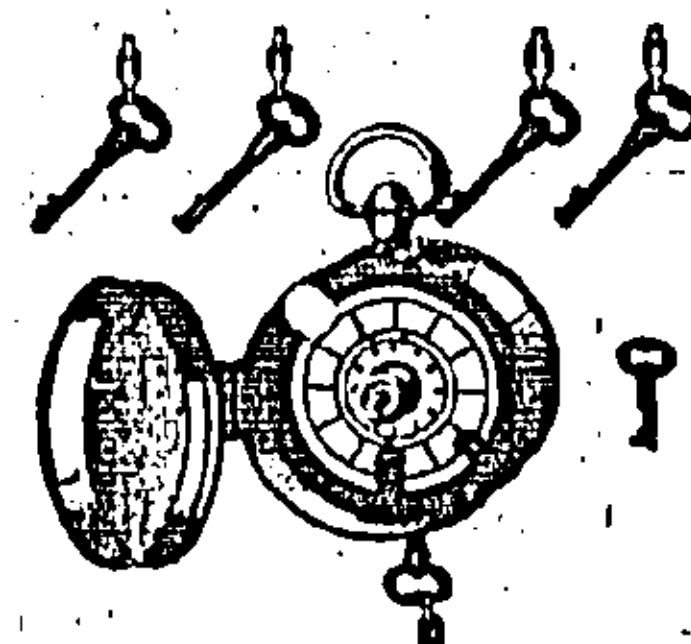
Total sales for the day:—  
925,000 ozs. 1,175,000 ozs.  
(37 Contracts) (47 Contracts)

	May 28	May 29
Pennsylvania Rail- road	30 1/2	30 1/2
Pennroad Corpora- tion	2 1/2	2 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	18 1/2	18 1/2
Radio Corporation	7 1/2	7 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco	44 1/2	43 1/2
Sears Roebuck	43	42 1/2
Socony-Vacuum Cor- poration	15 1/2	15 1/2
Southern California	16 1/2	16 1/2
Edison	10 1/2	10 1/2
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Texas Corporation	24 1/2	24 1/2
Transamerica	7 1/2	6 1/2
Union Carbide and Carbon	40 1/2	40 1/2
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## DISASTER FUND

### APPEAL CLOSING TO-MORROW

The *Telegraph* Fund for the relief of sufferers in the gasworks disaster is definitely closing to-morrow.

The response thus far has been most gratifying, but further augmentation of the Fund would be appreciated, as there will be many calls for assistance, especially in recouping those who have lost all their possessions and in providing means to enable victims to be put in the way of making a living.

The worst of the cases are now undergoing revision, with a view to supplementing the preliminary grants made.

Already acknowledged \$4,186.50

Mrs. Choy 3.00

F. C. Weller 10.00

Total \$4,199.50

## CRICKET IN VARSITIES

(Continued from Page 8.)

first knock. He has played for Derbyshire, but has been out of the team since last year.

Another man who got a trial was R. P. Nelson, of St. George's, Harpenden and Gals, who is an early batsman. He also took 5 wickets for 27 in the Freshers' Match last year, but it was his first game for the Varsity against Yorkshire. He only got four however, and looking at his bowling, score he evidently did not come off as a bowler.

The only two other seniors who are likely to come much into the picture—so far as one can see—are H. P. Dinwiddie (Ranley and Farnham) and G. W. Parker (Crypt and Selwyn). Both are second year men and neither were tried last year, but Dinwiddie was given a place against the Australians this year. He did not come off.

**THE FRESHERS.**

It is, however, among the first year men that Human will probably find three or four members of his side. H. T. Bartlett, who made a double century for Dulwich vs. Millhill in an incredibly short time last year seems to have played his best cricket already, as he got 56 against Yorkshire and a century against Glamorgan the other day.

D. Boughton-Rought is the third of the brothers who play for Norfolk. He has played last for Cambridge in the 1932 match. He is, I believe, a fairly quick bowler, and it is this type that is wanted. J. H. Cameron, of Taunton School, had a prodigious reputation in 1932 when he took all ten wickets of Lord's Schools for forty-nine runs. But down in Devonshire last year they told me that he had gone right off—and was not even top of his own school bowling average! He may, of course, stage a come-back, but I don't fancy these early school prodigies. A. G. W. Haddingham is a case in point. He failed to retain his Blue last summer and I do not fancy he will get in this year.

N. S. Hotchkiss, of Eton, was rather fancied to succeed A. S. Lawrence as the opening partner of A. W. Allen, but so far as I have heard, Human has been trying Skinner in that place. J. R. Garnett of Charterhouse is another possibility, and I think that is about as far as one need go with the batting at present.

For bowlers, besides Boughton-Rought, J. Turnbull, the Eton fast bowler, is up, and may be tried, and G. K. N. Trevelyan, of Marlborough, took 43 wickets for 19 runs apiece for his school last summer. J. M. Brocklebank, who bowls medium fast, and has a slightly better analysis than Turnbull, for Eton. But until some more detailed scores come along it would be idle to speculate further.

The one thing pretty certain is that no one is standing out as a head and shoulders above anyone else in the bowling line and one is rather afraid that Jehangir Khan's bowling may be feeling the effects of the runs which, not infrequently, he is getting.

## NEW STAMPS FOR BRITAIN

### ISSUE TO BE MADE IN AUGUST

London, May 29. Next August, Britain will have a new issue of postage stamps, beginning with the penny and threehalfpenny stamps, the remaining denominations being made available at intervals of a few weeks.

This announcement was made by the Postmaster General, Sir Kingsley Wood, at Cambridge to-day. He said the new stamps would have minor changes in design, and the colours would be richer. They were being printed by photographic process by Messrs. Harrison, of London.

England was the first country to issue adhesive stamps, and Post Offices throughout Britain now sell about 20 million daily. During last year, British Post Offices received, sorted and delivered one hundred million more letters than in the previous year.

## COLLECTIVE WAR ON AGGRESSORS

(Continued from Page 1.)

Geneva to-day after an adjournment of over seven months. The President, Mr. Arthur Henderson, in the opening speech, said the duty of the Conference was to carry its work to a successful end and he asked for the collaboration of all.

He expressed the view that the following points should be studied. Firstly, to reach an agreement on disarmament in which resided a guarantee for the national security of every nation. The recent exchange of notes between the various Governments had shown that the security problem was at the root of the whole situation.

Secondly, the danger of an increase in air forces, as there was no way of defence against air attacks.

**PROTECTION OF VICTIMS.**

Thirdly, it was most urgent to reach an agreement on the traffic in arms and munitions, and to take steps to protect any State which was the victim of aggression.

The United States delegate, Mr. Norman Davis, said his Government's policy would be directed towards disarmament in all branches and not towards either an arms race or re-armament.

In naval armaments, although America has felt it necessary to build up to approximately treaty limits, largely in replacement ships, she was none the less willing to join other interested powers in a substantial proportionate reduction in naval tonnage.

Mr. Norman Davis said that no nation could wish to take the responsibility for the failure of the Disarmament Conference or to face the consequences of such a failure.

**BACK TO BRITISH PLAN.**

He thought it best to go back to the decision of July 8th, 1933, when the British draft convention had been accepted by all nations, including Germany, as the basis of the future convention.

If Germany desired a disarmament convention, which surely must be the case, she could not be willing to resume negotiations on the basis to which she had previously agreed.

Mr. Litvinoff (Russia) proposed the transformation of the Conference into a "Permanent and Assembling Conference of Peace" to work out and perfect security measures. The Conference adjourned until to-morrow.—*British Wireless.*

## SITUATION NOW REALLY CRITICAL

### Mr. Arthur Henderson Stresses Issues

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Geneva, May 29. The political situation in Europe and the Far East has grown progressively worse since the opening of the Disarmament Conference two years ago, declared Mr. Arthur Henderson, in the course of a powerful appeal for the bringing of a new spirit to the discussions, when the Conference resumed its sittings to-day.

Mr. Henderson declared that the inter-governmental negotiations had completely failed of their objective. He reviewed the most important features of the negotiations and the causes of the inability to achieve progress, and declared that an agreement regarding land armaments was dependent upon a guarantee of international security.

He declared that the time had come for the Conference to decide on the course for the future, because the situation is now really critical.—*United Press.*

## UNITED STATES ATTITUDE

### Prospect of Success Feared Faint

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, May 29.

An extension of the naval limitations pacts at the scheduled conference of naval powers in 1935 is the only disarmament hope held by high authorities here on the eve of the reopening of the General Disarmament Conference in Geneva.

United States representatives at Geneva will continue to support

## MORATORIUM GRANTED

### BERLIN MEETING OF CREDITORS

### GRACE FOR SIX MONTHS

Berlin, May 29. A moratorium on all Germany's foreign debts for a period of six months has been granted by the creditors' conference.

The debt agreement gives Germany's creditors the option of taking the accruing interest, firstly, in the form of cash in six months' time on the basis of forty per cent, or more according to the Reichsbank position, or secondly, in the form of Government guarantee bonds, maturing in ten years bearing interest at the rate of three per cent.

The Reichsbank reserves the right to offer in respect of the cash payments on a month's notice, but undertakes to make every effort to arrange the foreign currency position to facilitate the maximum payment possible.

The British, French and Swedish delegates concurred in the agreement provided the scheme is administered impartially. The Swiss and Dutch withheld assent on the ground that the agreement ignores their special position. The Americans have not disclosed their attitude.—*Reuter.*

every move which appears to them intended to slash armaments, thereby reducing the load on tax-burdened peoples everywhere and the "tension" which officials assert excessive armaments create.

But two years of almost constant effort to reach a land and air armament accord have impressed officials that the prospect is faint. Each momentary brightening of prospects has been followed by a sudden internal development in some country which hardened public opinion there or abroad. Most concessions have been found to contain reservations or qualifications which made them unacceptable to some other government.

**POLITICAL TENSION.**

Prolonged political and economic tension in Europe and uncertainties in the Far East since Japan's adventure in Manchuria have been factors in a shifting political background which made agreements difficult.

Failure now of the General Disarmament Conference will make more difficult any new disarmament at the end of the 1935 naval conference particularly if it results in some nation not to have a naval power, demanding new naval strength, or revives continental naval rivalry to the point where Great Britain feels insecure with its existing tonnage and naval air units, according to authorities here. But some hope would still exist based on the average reduction or limitation having been obtained at two of the three great naval conferences since 1921.

President Roosevelt recently expressed the hope that existing naval limitations would be extended from 1935 and new reductions accomplished.

**U. S. POSITION.**

The United States' position regarding the General Disarmament Conference since the advent of President Roosevelt has been to press for:

1. The abolition of weapons of primary use in invasion, such as heavy mobile artillery, heavy tanks, bombardment aviation, etc.;

2. Promotion of continuous and automatic inspection of armaments so that each power would have knowledge whether its neighbour was fulfilling its agreements and feel secure in that knowledge;

3. Institution, in connection with a general disarmament pact, of a universal pact of non-aggression in which governments would undertake that none of their armed forces would invade the territory of another in violation of treaties.

**SANCTIONS ISSUE.**

In addition President Roosevelt volunteered to co-operate regarding application of sanctions which some nations, notably France, have insisted are necessary for security from an aggressor.

High authorities here have noted in recent weeks an increasing insistence by some European states, notably some of those which were neutral in the World War, on returning to the principle of actual disarmament, coupled with sanctions, instead of merely limitation of armaments. But experiences incline authorities to be cautious in expecting substantial or speedy accomplishments, even when prospects seem

relatively good.—*United Press.*

## ANGLO-FRENCH TRADE

### CONVERSATIONS TO BE RESUMED

London, May 29.

Several French Government representatives arrived in London to-night to resume the Anglo-French commercial conversations. These will re-start immediately.

The conversations began in March and since their suspension at Easter, experts in London and Paris have continued the examination of questions outstanding. Meanwhile, a *modus vivendi* concluded on 9th May has taken place in respect of the commercial treaties of 1926 and 1932 which expired about a fortnight ago.—*British Wireless.*

## ROYALTY ATTENDS.

### KING AND QUEEN AT FLOWER SHOW

London, May 29.

The King and Queen are making a private visit to the Chelsea Flower Show this afternoon. The show, which attracts exhibitors from all over the world, is one of the most popular outdoor events of the London season and for the exhibition which will be open to the public to-morrow the grounds of the Chelsea Hospital have been transformed into rock gardens, miniature woodlands and formal flower beds, while immense care has been taken to ensure that flowering plants and cut blooms are in perfect condition for exhibition.

Some of the more delicate flowers and fruits have arrived at Chelsea packed in cotton wool to prevent the petals from being bruised. The Prince of Wales who has recently taken up gardening as one of his hobbies, will visit the show this afternoon.—*British Wireless.*

## KOWLOON RESIDENCE AUCTIONED.

### VERY OLD BUILDING PASSES TO NEW OWNER

No. 32 Granville Road, Kowloon, with a ground area of nearly 3,000 sq. ft., was bought yesterday by Mr. Mok Wing-yue at a public auction held at Lamont Bros. The price realised was \$20,500.

The property is one of the oldest at Kowloon. An indenture of Crown lease showed that it was built in 1888, and that the late Mr. John D. Humphreys was the original owner, as, in fact, he was of several blocks of residences thereabouts.

No. 32 Granville Road has since passed through other hands, and when auctioned yesterday, was being held under a mortgage, the expiration of which led to a forced sale.

Messrs. Woo & Nash, solicitors, represented the vendors.

## AIR MAIL CHARGES.

### REDUCTIONS TO COME INTO EFFECT ON JUNE 1

Welcome reductions in the inclusive charges for letters and postcards sent by air mail from Hongkong to Europe and intermediate countries are to come into effect on June 1.

Under the new scale, the cost of sending a letter to Great Britain and other European countries will be 80 cents per 1/4 oz. special and \$1.05 per 1/4 oz. Postcard charges will be reduced to 60 cents. The charges to India will be 85 cents, 60 cents and 20 cents, respectively while the cost to Siam will be 16 cents, 30 cents and 12 cents respectively.

## SHIP FIRED ON

### MANCHUKUO WILL LODGE PROTEST

Harbin, May 29.

Soviet troops are again reported to have fired on a Manchukuo steamer.

The incident allegedly occurred at 3.30 o'clock yesterday morning when Red Guards fired a machine gun at the steamer Yang Fu, which was towing two barges, while she was approaching Tachihou on the Amur River.

No casualties have been reported. The Manchukuo Government is lodging a vigorous protest.—*Reuter.*

The wedding is announced to take place shortly of Mr. William Herbert Alton, of the Methodist Mission of Shuichou, Kwangtung, and Miss Ethel Muriel Stillman, nurse, also of the Methodist Mission at Hankow.

The P. and O. liner Mantua is due here from Shanghai on Friday at 7 p.m.

## ALLEGATION OF "SQUEEZE"

### BROKER CHARGED AT MAGISTRACY

Li Lu, alias Li Chak, 24,

described as a broker, appeared in the dock of the Central Police Court this morning, before Mr. Macfadyen, charged with obtaining \$5 from Wong Sung-ping by pretending he was authorised by the Sanitary Department to inspect Wong's house and stating that unless the money was paid to purchase presents for certain members of the Sanitary Department, alterations in the building should be carried out.

Defendant was also alternatively charged with obtaining \$5 by means of fraud.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the defence. He pleaded not guilty to both charges and applied for a short remand and bail.

Det-Inspector J. Murphy, for the prosecution, applied for one week's remand for the purpose of enquiries. Whilst not suggesting for the moment that the defendant was the man, there had been other cases of a similar nature and they had to make enquiries and in the event of the defendant turning out to be the man, there would be further charges preferred. In this case, there was definite evidence that he received five dollars. He applied for substantial bail to be fixed.

Mr. Silva.—If the remand is for the benefit of the prosecution, they should be more lax on the question of bail.

Inspector Murphy.—The other cases happened last year in Kowloon and Kennedy Town, where the man went round inspecting premises. That man was never arrested. I am not saying that this is the man.

Mr. Silva.—Until the prosecution can say definitely whether this man in the dock is the man, they should not insist on heavy bail.

Inspector Murphy.—Until he is recognised by the victim, I am asked for \$60 and only got five. He came back the following day to collect the remainder and was arrested. I don't think that we would ask your Worship to send him down to the Supreme Court. It is not an extraordinary case. These cases are pretty common in Hongkong.

Defendant was remanded for one week on bail of \$200.

## RUBBER PRICES

### LATEST SINGAPORE QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore to-day for raw rubber:

Spot 19 1/2  
July/Sept. 20 1/2  
Oct./Dec. 20 1/2  
Jan./Mar. 21 1/2  
Market—Quiet.

**Share Quotations**

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have received the following cable quotations of Shanghai rubber shares:

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Anglo Dutch 6.00  
Chambers 6.00  
Consolidated 3.00  
Java Consolidated 1.55  
Kroevocks 5.00  
Tannh Merahs 1.77 1/2  
Tobongs 5.4  
Zhanghs 8.00

## CINEMA SCREENINGS

### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

The roar of the earthquake which shook California this spring was recorded by sound engineers working on "The Girl in 419", romantic drama featuring James Dunn and Gloria Stuart, which comes on Friday to the King's Theatre. It is the first time that such a sound has been recorded either electrically or mechanically, and the Paramount studios have turned the sound over to scientists for use in study. Dunn, Miss Stuart, David Manners and Jack La Rue, cast in "The Girl in 419", were making one of the early scenes in the picture when the first shock of the earthquake was felt. Earl Hayman, sound engineer on the picture, realised immediately what was happening. His first impulse was to turn off his apparatus and flee, but a moment later, his brain triumphing over his instincts, he swung his dial to increase amplification. Hayman remained in his position within his soundproof booth, ear-phones glued to his head, his fingers carefully manipulating the dial, for the duration of the quake. The result, direct, players and technicians agreed, was one of the most dramatic series of sounds ever played over the amplification system. The scene is in progress on the sound track. The voices of the players are heard as they calmly speak their lines. There comes a sudden deep and foreboding rumbling, a scream, shouts of "Earthquake!" More shouts and screams, the clatter of running feet, and then the awful fall of the earth, the rattling of the stage itself, and the crash of falling equipment. Dunn, Miss Stuart and the other players remained as calm as was possible under the conditions, but work on the picture was not resumed until after the stage had been put back into condition. "The Girl in 419" is set in a police emergency hospital, and is the romance of a girl brought in mysteriously beaten and the doctor who saves her life.

## WATER LEVELS.

### FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province notifies that the report of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows:

	May 28.	May 29.
West River at Shihling	8.0	7.0
North River at Tsing		
North River at Samahui	7.4	7.8
East River at Shihling	1.3	0.8

Russell Gleason, Dick Powell, Jack Oakie, Donald Cook and many others have been reported eager to make up for life with Mary. It may be that she hasn't found time. Eight years ago, she and her widowed mother arrived in Hollywood from Texas, nearly starved, and finally got going when Mary was taken from a downtown theatre prologue for the role of Wendy in "Peter Pan". Free-lancing for the last few years she has had almost no idle moments, going straight from one picture into another. She is now playing her first role for Fox Film as one of the four featured players in "Ever Since Eve", which also presents George O'Brien, Herbert Marnin and Betty Blythe. It is the current screen play at the King's Theatre.

**"This Side of Heaven"**  
Proof that ultra-modernistic sets are not always necessary adjuncts to the success of a motion picture has been emphasized by Director William K. Howard in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production, "This Side of Heaven", which opens to-day at the Alhambra. A decided contrast from his most recent directorial achievements, Howard chose to tackle what ordinarily appears as an uneventful everyday incidents in the normal life of an average family and weave them into a tense drama involving every member of the family. For this, Director Howard has utilized settings that are seen on every hand in almost every phase of normal modern life. Lionel Barrymore, as an auditor who is innocently involved in an embezzlement that may send him to prison, experiences the greatest tragedy in his life in an average business office. Mae Clarke, as a school teacher loved by two men, meets the climax of her life in the modest classroom filled with her pupils. Mary Carlisle, during a madcap elopement, is brought face to face with the most dominant climax of her young years while waiting to be married to Henry Vadsworth in a rural parsonage. Fay Bainter reaches the heights of her writing ambition in the sumptuous offices of a motion picture producer and Tom Brown, as her son, is smitten by his tantamount disappointment in a fraternity house. Other vital scenes are portrayed in the average home of an average family—even to the comedy and drama that arise out of a turkey dinner—and in the surgery room of a modern hospital.

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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

### Solution to Previous Contract Problem.

Just because you have an ace, it does not mean that you must necessarily win the first trick. Again let me caution you about playing to that first trick. It pays to stop and plan the hand out, regardless of what the situation is. Remember, if you once touch or call a card, it is played and you cannot take it back.

In to-day's hand, with the king of diamonds opened, it looks as though the declarer's only entry into dummy is knocked out—and it would be, if he won the first trick with the ace.

### The Bidding

South's three bid asks his partner to show his highest ace. Of

10 7	Q 7 5	W	N	8 8 4
Q 10 8 5	Q 10 8 5	Dealer		8 8 4
AK Q J 8 5 2				8 8 4
AK				8 8 4
10 8 5				8 8 4
Duplicate—N. and S. vul.				8 8 4
Opening lead—K.				8 8 4
South	West	North	East	
3 4	Pass	4	Pass	
5	Pass	5	Pass	
6	Pass	Pass	Pass	

course, if North held the ace of trump, he should show that before his highest ace. Not having an ace, North's proper response would be three no trump, but he showed the ace of diamonds with his bid of four diamonds.

When South bids five diamonds, he asks his partner if he holds the king of diamonds. Without the king of diamonds, North should simply sign the hand off with five spades.

However, in this case, he can bid five hearts, as he holds the king of hearts. This information may prove valuable to South.

South, even though he did not hold the ace of hearts himself, would know that his partner was not showing the ace, because if he held the ace of diamonds and ace of hearts, the heart ace would have been bid first.

Having located the king of hearts and ace of diamonds in the North hand, South felt that his two losing diamonds could be discarded and a slam could be made, so he rightly bid it.

### The Play

West opened the king of diamonds. If we win that trick with the ace, we are not going to be able to get into dummy to use the king of hearts. Therefore, South must employ rather an unusual holdup—he must refuse to win this diamond trick.

The hand is now made. If West continues with a diamond, the declarer will win the second diamond and will be able to trump the losing diamond in dummy with the

### Today's Contract Problem

How would you bid the following hand? If South arrives at six no trump, what opening will defeat the contract? If a heart is opened, how should the hand be played to make six odd?

AK 8				
Q 7 4				
K Q 5				
A 8 0 8				
10 9 8 3	W	N	8 8 4	
K J 9 8	S	E	8 8 4	
8	Dealer			
Q J 5 2				
Q 7				
A 10 5				
A J 0 4				
K 10 7 4				

Solution in next issue. 20

eight of spades; while if West switches to a spade, the declarer

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## MANCHUKUO'S RULER.

### EMPEROR REPORTED SERIOUSLY ILL

Peking, May 29. Reports are current in Chinese circles that the Emperor of Manchukuo, whom China still knows as Henry Pu Yi, is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

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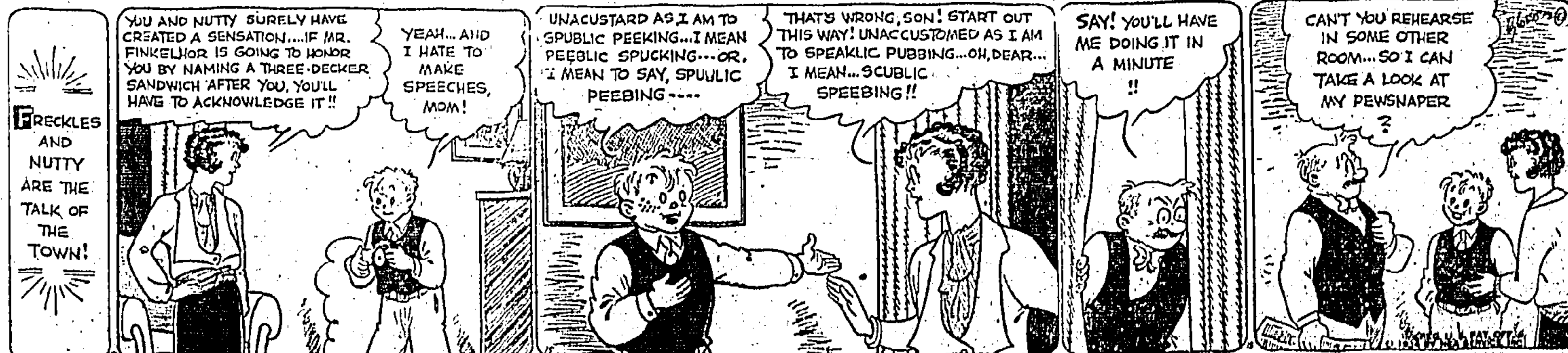
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## WAR DEBTS SCHEME

COL. WEDGWOOD'S PROPOSAL

NOT FAVOURABLY VIEWED

London, May 30.  
War debts payments by means of commodity deals have been considered by the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the suggestion of a Labour M.P.

Colonel Wedgwood caused mystification in the House of Commons last night when he asked Mr. Neville Chamberlain whether he had considered his proposal for paying the American debt. Members of the House were not aware that Colonel Wedgwood had advanced any scheme, and the Chancellor's reply did not enlighten them as to the details.

Mr. Chamberlain replied that he had considered the proposal, but the disadvantages outweighed the advantages.

**THE WEDGWOOD SCHEME.**  
Colonel Wedgwood afterwards informed Reuter that his proposal was that Britain should pay by joining the United States Government in purchasing surplus American wheat or cotton and supplying them to China or to India, accepting payments in long-term bonds of nominal price, at one and a half per cent. interest, secured on the Customs.

In order to enable Britain to pay, America should give special facilities to goods supplied by the British Empire, which the Americans needed, particularly rubber manufactured articles.

## THE OPIUM MENACE

CHARGES AGAINST CHINA

POPPY GROWING INCREASING

Geneva, May 29.  
Very serious charges were levelled against China in connection with the opium traffic at Geneva to-day.

The accusations were made by Mr. Fuller, the American delegate to the Opium Advisory Commission, and he declared that instead of getting better poppy-growing in China was becoming wider spread.

Four years ago, he said, opium production in China was at least seven times greater than in the rest of the world together, and it had increased greatly since.

Such extensive production was an intolerable menace to the world. Mr. Fuller suggested that the Chinese Government should permit or submit a more complete report on the situation, regarding the provincial monopolies, together with the revenues derived from opium sources.—Reuter.

Thus, said Colonel Wedgwood, there would be a joint Anglo-American interest in controlling surplus raw materials and a joint interest in controlling trade dealings in China.—Reuter.

Questioned on the policy of the Government in relation to the debt payment due to the United States on 15th June, the Chancellor of Exchequer, Mr. Chamberlain, said he was not yet in a position to make a statement on the subject but hoped to do so shortly.—British Wireless.

## CLAN FEUD TERROR

HEAVY CASUALTIES IN FIGHTING

VILLAGE HOUSES BURNED DOWN

Canton, May 30.  
A clan feud in the Nanhai District and the disastrous scenes that followed are described in a detailed report just received. Fighting between the clans went on for two days before the arrival of Government troops to prevent further bloodshed.

The rival clansmen were engaged in a hand-to-hand fight for the whole of Monday night, resulting in heavy casualties on both sides.

The Wu Village was invaded by the clansmen of the Yeh Village, who indulged in indiscriminate looting and burning.

Hundreds of the villagers have fled to other villages for shelter. It is estimated that 150 houses in the "defeated" village were razed to the ground.

Both hostile villages are occupied by Government troops, who are assisting Red Cross workers in relief work.—Central News.

**DEATH.**  
REMEDIOS.—Aurea Angela dos Remedios, aged 13 years, daughter of Mr. J. C. dos Remedios, died at her residence, No. 4, Salisbury Avenue, Kowloon, at 1.45 p.m. yesterday. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day. (Macao, Singapore and Shanghai papers please copy).

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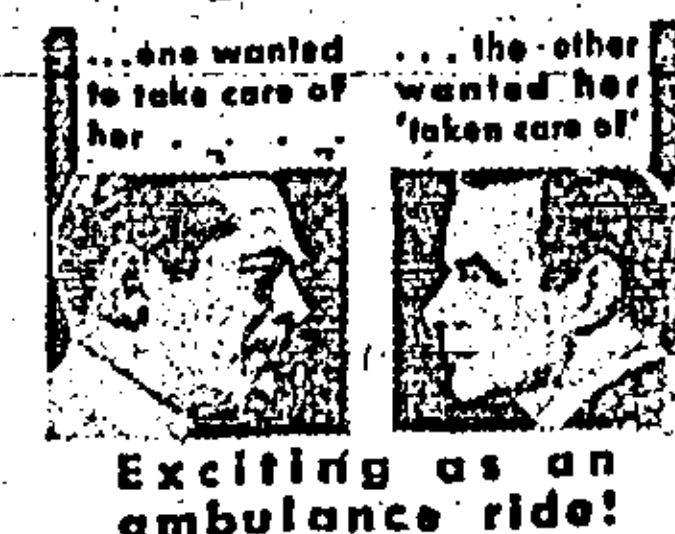
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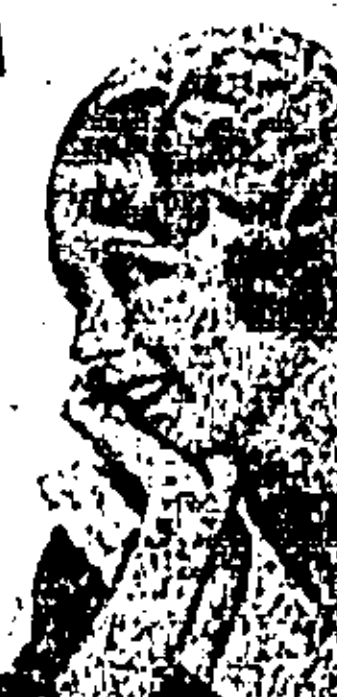
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